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INTERESTING POLITICAL CALENDAR FOR 1910

Prepared By Chief Clerk Thorn of State Department.

VALUABLE TO VOTERS

Handy Record of Events Scheduled for Ensuing Year—Information on Effect of Recently Adopted Amendments to Constitution.

A calendar of political events for 1910 has been prepared by George D. Thorn, chief clerk of the State Department, at Harrisburg, and published by the Republican State Committee. It contains much information of value to voters and prospective candidates of all parties. The calendar follows:

Winter primary election, Saturday, January 22.

Spring primary election, Saturday June 4.

February election, Tuesday, February 15.

November election, Tuesday, November 8.

Last day for filing petitions for nomination for Winter primary, Saturday, January 1.

Last day to be registered in cities of the first and second classes, for February election, Saturday January 15.

Last day to be registered in cities of the third class, for February election, Tuesday, January 18.

Last day to pay tax to qualify for the February election, Saturday January 15.

Last day for filing statement of expenses for winter primary, Saturday, February 5.

Last day for filing statement of expenses for February election, Thursday, March 17.

Last day for filing petitions for nomination, for Spring primary, with the Secretary of the Commonwealth, Saturday, May 7.

Last day for filing petitions for nomination, for Spring primary, with the County Commissioners, Saturday, May 14.

Last day for filing statement of expenses, for Spring primary, Saturday, June 18.

Last day for filing certificates of nomination, made by State conventions, with the Secretary of the Commonwealth, Tuesday, September 27.

Last day for filing Nomination Papers for November election, with the Secretary of the Commonwealth, Tuesday, October 4.

Last day for filing Nomination Papers for November election, with the County Commissioners, Tuesday, October 18.

Last day to be registered in cities of the first and second classes, for the Spring primary, Saturday, June 4, Primary Election Day.

Last day to be registered in cities of the third class, for the Spring primary, Saturday, May 14.

Last day to be assessed for the November election, Wednesday, September 7.

Last day to pay tax to qualify for the November election, Saturday, October 8.

Last day for filing statement of expenses for November election, Thursday, December 8.

Changes made by the adoption of the amendments to the Constitution and of the schedule, adopted November 2, 1909. Judges of the County Courts and County Officers cannot be elected in the year 1910. All such officers whose terms expire with the end of 1910, or whose commissions expire upon the first Monday of January, 1911, will held over for one year, or until the first Monday of January, 1912, and all appointments to fill vacancies will be until the first Monday in January, 1912.

At the November election of 1910 no officers will be voted for except Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of Internal Affairs, Congressmen, Senators and Representatives in the General Assembly, unless there should be a vacancy in the Supreme or Superior Court, occurring two months before the General Election, which may be filled at that election.

All County Officers who were elected in 1907, and whose commissions run from the first Monday of January, 1908, will serve until the first Monday of January, 1912.

All County Officers who were elected in 1909, and whose commissions run from the first Monday of January, 1910, will serve until the first Monday of January, 1914.

All Officers elected in February, 1910, to offices, the regular term of which is two years, and also Election Officers and Assessors chosen at that electioe, shall serve until the first Monday of December, 1911. Assessors elected at the November election, 1911, and thereafter, shall serve four years. Election officers will serve two years.

All Officers chosen in February, 1910, to offices the term of which is now four years, or was made four years by the amendments or the schedule, shall serve until the first Monday of January, 1915.

All Justices of the Peace, Magistrates and Aldermen, chosen at the February election, 1910, shall serve until the first Monday of December, 1915.

After the year 1910 all terms of city, ward, borough, township and election officers shall begin on the first Monday of December in odd-numbered years.

CAPT. GARBRICK RESIGNS

Col. Hugh S. Taylor May be Elected to Command Co. L.

Local military circles were given a surprise with the announcement this week of the resignation of Philip F. Garbrick as Captain of Co. L, Twelfth Regiment. This is the new title of Co B, formerly of the old Fifth Regiment.

It is entirely probable that Colonel Hugh S. Taylor will be elected as Captain Garbrick's successor. Although he has been assigned to the Governor's staff, Colonel Taylor is without a command. A movement has been inaugurated to have him accept the captaincy of Co. L, it being conceded that if he agrees to do so there will be no opposition to him for the honor.

Thus far Colonel Taylor has given no decision in the matter. It is the belief of his friends, however, that if elected to succeed Captain Garbrick he would not decline. Friends of Colonel Taylor are confident that should he re-enter Co. B, or Co. L, as it is now known, it would be a matter of a few years until he would be advanced to the command of the Twelfth Regiment.

Colonel Charles M. Clement is now in command of the Twelfth, but he is scheduled for advancement to the post of Brigadier General. This will create a vacancy as Colonel. While he, as Captain of Co. L, probably would not aspire to immediate election as Colonel of the Twelfth, the friends of Colonel Taylor believe that he would be named for the post at the time of the next succeeding vacancy.

Official orders, announced at Harrisburg last week, fix March 10, next, as the date for the inspection of Co. L

PHIL. FOSTER HONORED.

Is Recommended for Postmaster at State College.

Former Republican County Chairman Philip D. Foster was last Saturday recommended by Congressman Barclay for appointment by the President as postmaster at State College. Mr. Foster was chosen to succeed postmaster John W. Stuart who retires to give his attention to business interests

"Phil" Foster is well-known throughout the county. While serving as chairman of the Republican County Committee he displayed marked ability and won the confidence and support of active Republicans. In more recent years he has been engaged in the coal business at State College, meeting with gratifying success.

We congratulate an old friend on the honor thus conferred upon him. In so doing we predict for him an administration as postmaster that will meet the hearty approval of the people of State College.

Trust Company's Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bellefonte Trust Company was held on Tuesday. A gratifying increase in the company's business over the preceding year was reported. The several members of the Board of Directors were re-elected, as follows: J. L. Spangler, C. T. Gerberich, J. Henry Cochran, John P. Harris, Ross A. Hickok, A. C. Mingle and Claude Cook. The directors re-elected the old officers, as follows: J. L. Spangler, president: John P. Harris, treasurer; Ross A. Hickok, vice president, and Isaac Mitchell, assistant treasurer and secretary. At the conclusion of the business meeting dinner was served at the Brockerhoff house.

Firemen's Relief Fund.

A meeting of the Bellefonte Firemen's Relief Fund Society was held on Tuesday night at the Logan Hose House. The officers are B. D. Tate, president; H. J. Jackson, secretary; John McSuley, treasurer. The society has $3400 in its treasury. In 1909 it received $248 as its percentage of the rate levied on foreign insurance companies doing business in Pennsylvania. The directors of the society were authorized to confer with the Bellefonte Hospital managers with the view of furnishing a room at the hospital. At the conclusion of the business meeting a banquet was served.

UNIONVILLE WOMAN'S HEART ON RIGHT SIDE

Remarkably Strange Case of Miss Sarah Cowher.

REVEALED TO DOCTORS

Surgeons of Polyclinic Hospital at Philadelphia, Made Examination Which Disclosed to Them Case Rare in Medical History.

A remarkably strange case of the human heart being located on the right instead of the left side of the body is that of Miss Sarah Cowher, a well known resident of Unionville. The case, which is extremely rare and one of the few of the kind recorded in medical annals, attracted considerable attention among Philadelphia surgeons on the occasion of a visit a few weeks ago by Miss Cowher to the Polyclinic Hospital in that city.

Miss Cowher has known for years that her heart was not in the left side of the body. Dr. Tobin, the family physician, informed her of the fact. She, presumably, was born with the heart in thus unusual position, but thus far she has never suffered any discomfort from this cause. In fact, she has enjoyed remarkable health. Miss Cowher is about 50 years of age.

Several weeks ago Miss Cowher went to the Polyclinic Hospital for an operation to relieve some trouble with her eyes. It was while the surgeons were preparing her for the operation that they learned of the unnatural location of her heart. The surgeons were about to administer ether and were trying to make an examination of Miss Cowher's heart but to their amazement could not locate it. Miss Cowher, with her eyes bandaged, tapped on her right side to indicate to the surgeons that they would find her heart there. The surgeons were unable to conceal their astonishment. The operation was concluded and then physicians and surgeons for other hospitals were called in from personal observation of the case.

Miss Cowher returned to her home at Unionville a short time ago.

Installation at Boalsburg.

The first officers of the new lodge of the Knights of Malta, of Boalsburg, were formally installed last Friday night by Jasper T. Sembower, Grand Commander of Pennsylvania. The ceremony was especially interesting and was witnessed by the thirty-five charter members of the lodge. The personnel of the new organization includes some of the best known and most substantial residents of Boalsburg and surrounding territory. The officers installed were the following: Sir Knight Commander, R. B. Harrison; Generalissimo, David Snyder; Captain General, Dr. L. E. Kidder; Prelate, C. U. Weiland; Recorder, P. S. Ishler; Assistant Recorder, Harry Ishler; Treasurer, Professor H. C. Rothrock; Senior Warden, Grant E. Charles.

Medical Society's Annual Meeting.

At the annual meeting of the Centre County Medical Society, held in Bellefonte on Tuesday, Dr. M. J. Locke was elected president to succeed Dr. W. W. Feidt. Dr. David Dale was elected secretary and Dr. Hardenberg, of Millheim, was named as censor. Dr. Feidt delivered the President's address and Dr. Hardenberg conducted the discussion. It was decided to organize the Centre County Post-graduate Medical club, the chief purpose of which will be to review the subjects outlined by the American Medical Association in the line of post-graduate work.

Start on World's Tour.

Mrs. Elizabeth Calloway will depart today for Pittsburg where she will visit with friends for several days. Later in the week her brother, George T. Bush will depart for the West. He plans meeting Mrs. Calloway at St. Louis, from which point they will start on their proposed tour of the world. The Eastman Kodak Company has presented Mr. Bush with a very fine kodak for his use while away.

Student Down with Appendicitis.

Frank M. Smith, of North Port, Long Island, a student at State College, was taken to the Bellefonte hospital last Friday, suffering from appenpicitis. An operation was performed and proved a success. His condition is reported as entirely satisfactory.

Dislocated His Shoulder.

Isaac Miller, the well known contractor, slipped and fell on the ice on Wilson Street yesterday and dislocated his shoulder. He was also painfully bruised.

WILL HOLD ELECTION ON FIRST SCHOOL LOAN

Board Asks People to Ratify $32,000 Indebtedness.

CALLED FOR FEB. 15

Date Same as That for Regular Spring Election Purchasers of Bonds Advised This Course to Insure Legality of Proceeding.

The Bellefonte School Board have concluded that it will be necessary to have an election to declare valid the $32,000 loan, which was the first to be authorized by the Board for the construction of the new school building, at Allegheny and Linn Streets. The loan will, therefore, be voted on by the people of Bellefonte at the time of the regular February election, which will be held February 15. In order that the necessity for the special election for the $32,000 loan, to further insure its legality, might be fully understood, the School Board have submitted the following statement to the public:

TO THE VOTERS OF THE BOROUGH OF BELLEFONTE.

It has become necessary to ask the voters of the borough to ratify and declare valid the loan of $32,000.00, authorized by a vote of the School Board of the borough on the 29th day of March 1909, for the purpose of erecting a new public school building.

Before this loan was authorized the board after careful and thorough investigation believed that they could lawfully effect a loan not exceeding two percent on the assessed valuation of all property in the borough taxable for school purposes, which at that time was fixed at $1,643,361.00.

After the resolution of the board was adopted Hon. M. E. Olmsted, who held the bonds of our old debt, was asked to take the new issue of bonds. He desired to have time to investigate the legality of the proposed issue and to aid in this, he was furnished certified copies of the minutes of the board and all statements required to be filed in the Court of Quarter Sessions, under the act of April 20th, 1874, and its supplements.

Mr. Olmsted not only examined carefully into the authority of the board to make the loan, but handed the papers to another attorney at Harrisburg, who after a careful examination of the questions relating thereto advised Mr. Olmsted that the authority of the board to make the loan was complete. This being in accord with Mr. Olmsted's opinion, he advised the board that he was ready to take the first issue of the bonds, and they were delivered to him in October, 1909.

Mr. Olmsted had also been asked to take the second series of bonds, the issue of which had been authorized by the electors of the district. He reported to the board that he and another could do so. In arranging to do this he submitted certified copies of the minutes and resolutions of the board and records of the Court relating to both loans which had been furnished him, to Messrs Townsend, Elliott and Townsend, attorneys of Philadelphia, who on November 3, 1909, gave him an opinion on the right of the board to make the first loan from which we quote, as follows:

"You have submitted to us for an examination and an opinion certified copies of resolutions and exemplifications from the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace relative to the two issues of bonds by the School District of the borough of Bellefonte.

"The borough of Bellefonte for the building, equipment and accommodation of the public schools decided to increase the indebtedness of the said school district in the sum of $32,000.00, represented by the series of bonds first above mentioned. This they did by a resolution of the board of school directors passed March 29th, 1909. At this time the School District had an existing indebtedness of $20,000.00, which was the balance of a debt incurred prior to the adoption of the constitution of 1874. Although this balance, plus the debt proposed to be incurred, exceeded two percent of the assessed valuation of the taxable property of the school District, viz; $1,643,361.00, we are of the opinion that under the case of Wheeler vs Philadelphia, 67. Pa. 338. and Pike County vs Roland, 94. Pa. 238, that they had a right to do this without the assent of the electors, inasmuch as the proposed increase by the school authorities was less than two percent of the assessed valuation of taxable property within the

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COASTED INTO SPRING CREEK

Seven-Year-Old Alexander Morrison Has Narrow Escape.

Seven-year-old Alexander Morrison, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison, while coasting down High Street at noon yesterday, tried to turn into Water Street toward the big spring, and plunged head foremost over the sixteen-foot wall into Spring Creek. Bystanders who saw his body disappear and crash into the shallow water, ran to his aid fully expecting to find him dead or seriously injured. To the amazement of all the little fellow sustained only a fracture of the left arm and a cut and a few bruises about the face and head.

Young Morrison was riding "belly bumper" at the time of the accident. The guard rails along Spring Creek are about two feet apart. Just opposite the "Democratic Watchman" office Morrison tried to turn his sled into Water Street, but the ice was so smooth that he was unable to guide his sled. Like a flash he shot across the walk and under the lower guard rail and then made a clean drop, head foremost, into the creek.

As quickly as possible he was removed to the office of Dr. David Dale and there it developed that his injuries were not at all serious. If anything, the young man was more badly frightened than injured.

WEDDING ROMANCE

Young Couple Announce Their Marriage Last September.

The many friends of LeRoy Gentzel, of State College, and Miss Mabel Ishler, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ishler, of Bellefonte, were given a complete surprise on Sunday evening when they announced the fact of their marriage at Atlantic City on September 5th. Not even the parents of the well known young couple were aware of the marriage until the announcement on Sunday. Probably the first person to be informed of the happy event was Robert Hartle, one of the school directors of Benner township.

Miss Ishler, or rather Mrs. Gentzel, has been the the teacher of the Roopsburg school. Keeping her marriage a close secret she continued teaching school up to Friday of last week. When she concluded the day's work in her school she dropped Mr. Hartle a little note, explaining that it would be necessary to find another teacher. She added that in the future she would preside over a home instead of a school.

The parents of the young couple, while greatly surprised when informed of the marriage, promptly extended congratulations and best wishes for many years of happiness. Mr. and Mrs. Gentzel will make their home at State College, where the former is meeting with much success as a merchant.

SYMMONDS - WITMER.

At the parsonage of the United Evangelical church on Tuesday evening, last, James F. Symmonds and Miss Jennie E. Witmer, both of Bellefonte, were quietly married. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. F. Hower, the pastor. The many friends of this worthy young couple wish them much happiness and a prosperous voyage through life.

WISER—HIPPLE.

A wedding of interest to the many friends of the contracting parties was that on Wednesday evening of last week when Miss Eleanorah Hipple, of Unionville, became the bride of George Clifton Wiser, of Port Matilda. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. A. McKelvey in the United Brethren parsonage, at Port Matilda.

New Lodge of Rebekahs.

Last Thursday afternoon Mrs. Bendle, of Pittsburg, Grand President, with the assistance of a number of Past Officers and members of the Degree Team, visited Howard and organized the Magdalene Rebekah Lodge, No. 375. The visitors were from the Crystal Spring Rebekah Lodge, No. 25, of Bellefonte, and included the following Past Officers: Past Grand, Mrs. Mollie Hoy; Past Grand, Mrs. Elizibeth Hazel; Past Grand, Mrs. Myrtle Badger; Past Grand, Rosetta Flick; Past Grand, Cora Sholl; Noble Grand, Mrs. Arena Young; Conductor, Mrs. Myrtle Irvin; Warden, Lela Ardery; Chaplain, Mary Eberhart; Alter Bearers, Mrs. Joseph Apt and Mrs. James Bailey; Banner Bearers, Arline Pemberton, Clara Solt, Marjorie Richards and Mrs. Edward Gheret. Outside Guard, Helen McClellen; Inside Guard, Mono Struble. The visitors we driven to Howard and return by William Emel, Harry Eberhart, Thomas Hazel and Edward Young.

Flemington School Building Afire.

A slight fire occured in the intermediate grade school building at Flemington on last Monday. Miss Kelsey, the teacher, quickly asembled and machad the pupils from the building. The blaze was extingushed before much damage was done.

MATCH COMPANY CAPACITY TO BE 60,000,000 DAILY

Stock-Holders Decide to Double Output of Plant.

FOUR NEW MACHINES

Additional Brick Building to be Erected Will be 60 by 100 Feet - Work Will be Started in Spring and Completed in Early Summer.

At the annual meeting last week of the stockholders of the Pennsylvania Match Company, of this place, it was formally decided to increase the plant to double the present capacity. With the plant and equipment as proposed the capacity wil be about 60,000,000 a day. The present capacity is upward of 30,000,000 matches a day

There are four match machines in use at the plant at the present time. Four additional machines of the most modern pattern will be installed. The proposed extension calls for the erection of an additional brick building, 60 x 100 feet, and about 30 feet in height.

The extension work will be begun early in the spring and completed during the summer.

ONE LICENSE REFUSED

Judge Orvis Turns Down Application of F. W. Grebe, of Osceola.

Judge Orvis several days ago handed down his decision on liquor license applications, granting all but that of Frank W. Grebe, of Osceola, Rush township, and reserving action on that of James W. Runkle, of Centre Hall.

The applications for retail licenses granted were W. L. Daggett, Horton S. Ray, James A. Noonan, J. M. Cunningham and Richard Sheehe, of Bellefonte; Charles W. McMurtrie, Howard; Isaac A. Shawver, Millheim; C. M. & H. W. Waple, William J. Rapsey, W. H. Jones, Frank McClure, James Passmore, Harry Washburn, Samuel Rogers, Enoch Hugg and E. G. McCrossin, all of Philipsburg; Lawrence Redding, and John G. Uzzle, of Snow Shoe; Henry J. Kohlbecker, Central City; J. Warren Wood, Spring Mills; Thomas Faxon, Rebersburg; James S. Reish, Potters Mills; Edward Royer, Old Fort; Lewis E. Stover, Coburn; Frank W. Hess, Sandy Ridge; Fred Eisenbauer, Cassanova; George J. Kachik, Clarence.

Applications for wholesale licenses granted were Orin Vail, George Parks and James Black, Philipsburg; Lawrence Nugent, Cassanova; John Boyce, Clarence.

The Philipsburg Brewing Company's brewers license was renewed.

Real Estate Transfers.

Recorder Brown has recorded the following real estate transfers in the last week:

Mary C. Harris et al to Elks Club of Bellefonte, house and lot in Bellefonte, December 20, 1909, $10,000.

John Stoner et ux to J. Henry Stover et al, lots of ground in Miles township, December 8, 1909, $1.

J. Ellis Harvey to I. L. Harvey, tract land in Curtin township, December 29, 1909, $800.

J. H. Reifsnyder to John Stoner, tract land in Millheim, January 8, 1902, $300.

J. H. Reifsnyder et ux to John Stoner, tract land in Millheim, April 1, 1887, $250.

John Stoner et ux to D. L. Zerby, trustee, tract land in Millheim, December 10, 1909, $1.

Harry Frederick et ux to Alfred R. Lee, tract land in Harris township, April 1, 1909, $2,000.

William L. Foster et al to Judson P. Welsh, lot at State College, January 3, 1910, $325.

D. Lindermuth et ux to Matilda Lambert, lot in Unionville Boro, October 23, 1909, $660.

Poor Overseers of Haines township to Isaac M. Orndorf, tract land in Haines township, March 11, 1907, $162.50.

Poor Overseers of Haines township to Isaac M. Orndorf et al, tract land in Haines township, March 11, 1907, $112.50.

Trustees Washington Camp No. 357 P. O. S. of A. to J. J. Orndorf et al, tract land in Haines township, August 4, 1908, $75.

Steve Barente et ux to Mary Yacie, tract land in Snow Shoe, April 6, 1908, $25.

Lehigh Valley Coal Co. to Paul Yatsick, tract land in Snow Shoe township, February 30, 1905, $25.

HIS CONVERSION.

A Man Who Did Not Believe In Woman's Standard of Honor.

By KINGSBURY WELCH.

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"Girls," said Miss Spencer at afternoon tea, "what do you suppose I've heard about Harrington? He has openly avowed himself a woman hater. Let's cut him."

"Let's," said Miss Hunter.

"Let's," said every girl in the room but one.

"Are you sure you'll all keep to the agreement?" asked Miss Emerson incredulously.

"What do you take us for?" said Miss Hunter. "You're as bad as Harrington."

"Well, I'll agree," drawled Miss Emerson, "but I don't want any shirking."

"All who agree," said Miss Spencer, "hold up a hand."

Every girl except one held up a lily white hand, with some sort of bangle or bracelet dangling at the wrist. The exception was Miss Emerson.

"Aren't you with us, Emmy?"

"No."

"Why not?"

"I don't believe in judging any one unheard, and I don't believe in conspiracies."

"Very well; do as you please."

That Miss Spencer was determined to keep faith in the matter is proved by the fact that she did not wait for an accidental meeting with the tabooed man. She brought about one the next day. Harrington was accustomed to walk past her home every morning on his way to his office. She had often stood at a front window purposely to get a bow from him, but after the first he did not deign to see her there. On the morning after he had been boycott-

HE WAS OBLIGED TO CATCH HER TO PREVENT HER FALLING.

ed Miss Spencer went out on the street a short time before his accustomed passing, met him face to face and cut him dead.

The next morning Harrington walked by the house as indifferently as before. Miss Spencer was watching for him from behind a curtain. For three successive mornings she was at her post and saw the same indifference. Then she wrote a note to Mr. Harrington telling him that she had declined to speak to him because she had heard something about him to his discredit. If he would call on her she would tell him; she didn't wish to do him an injustice.

Harrington called the same evening. Miss Spencer wore her most becoming costume. She was a pretty girl and had never looked prettier. There was no convenient place for him to sit except next her on the sofa. She told him that some one had maligned him; had said he hated women. He replied that he was not in a position to deny the charge, for he had made such a remark a number of times.

"But you didn't mean it," she said. "Don't say you did, for I know you are a gentleman, and none such would attack the weaker sex."

Harrington saw a pair of beautiful blue eyes looking into his. He felt complimented, and he felt drawn toward Miss Spencer.

"The reason why I condemn women," he said, "is because of their standard of honor, which is far beneath that in vogue among men. But I am open to conviction. If within three months you are able to convince me that women are as honorable as men I will renounce my opposition. Meanwhile I shall see you frequently, and we will go out together."

"Agreed," said Miss Spencer.

Harrington kept his word. He called often and invited her to go out with him. She declined his invitations for places of amusement for fear she would be seen by some of the girls with whom she had made the compact. She knew very well what she would say to them when the time came to say it, but the time had not come.

One day Harrington was about to get off a trolley car. A young lady on the platform blocked his way. She was about to step down into the street when Harrington put a hand on her shoulder and held her back. A second later an automobile driven by a drunken chauffeur grazed the trolley car. Had the girl stepped off, as she intended, she would have surely been killed. The auto having passed, Harrington escorted her to the sidewalk. She seemed quite unconcerned till she reached it, then was all of a tremor. He was obliged to catch her to prevent her falling.

Harrington called a carriage and took her home. Before his departure from her house she had quite recovered and asked him for his address that she might send him some more formal acknowledgment of the obligation than verbal thanks. He gave her his card, at which she stared, stammered something, then bade him good day. She sent him a token of her gratitude—a dozen cambric handkerchiefs with his initials embroidered in the corner by her own hands.

At the time of this episode Harrington had spent two of the three months allotted for his conversion under Miss Spencer's influence and had quite lost his antipathy for women. Indeed, he was beginning to feel that with her for a helpmeet life would assume a rosier hue. He had about made up his mind to tell her so when the trolley car incident occurred. But suddenly Miss Spencer noticed that he was becoming indifferent to her.

The truth is that, being on excellent terms with two women, he was enabled to contrast the one with the other. His trolley car lady appeared friendly, but otherwise indifferent. This revealed to him the fact that Miss Spencer was trying to catch him. The latter redoubled her efforts, but this only tended to make them more apparent and rendered him more appreciative of the girl whom it piqued him to believe felt for him only a natural gratitude for having been the accidental cause of saving her life.

And so it happened that the man who had given a woman an opportunity to prove to him that woman's standard of honor was equal to that of man found himself in an equivocal position. He had gone so far with Miss Spencer that he doubted if he were not in honor bound to go further. At any rate, he shrank from what he considered a backing out. When the end of the three months he had given Miss Spencer to convert him came round she had made the conversion, but he had fallen in love with another girl.

Harrington decided to make a clean breast of it to the girl he loved. He told her that he loved her, but before meeting her had become entangled with another girl. Then he confided to her his affair with Miss Spencer. His confidante manifested no surprise. Indeed, she seemed to be cognizant of the whole affair. But she astonished Mr. Harrington by telling him that she could not accept a proposition from him because such a course would place her in an unfortunate position. When he asked her what that position was she declined to inform him on the ground that she could not honorably do so.

Mr. Harrington was astonished. That a woman should decline an offer of marriage on the ground that it would place her in a false position and decline to give that position through motives of honor opened up to him a new thing in the world of morals. He had not been insensible to woman's charms, which he had considered marred by their want of a high sense of honor. Here was a woman with charms and scrupulously honorable. He begged her to put him in the way to get the desired information from another, but she said that such a course would be only a subterfuge and no more honorable than telling him herself.

Nevertheless the information came. Miss Spencer was met one day by Miss Hunter walking with Mr. Harrington, and, looking up at him in the fashion of a woman who means to be seductive, Miss Hunter at once invited the members of the cabal to meet at her house the next day at afternoon tea. Miss Emerson, having declined to cut the victim, was not notified. When they were assembled the hostess announced the perfidy of Miss Spencer.

Great was the indignation of the "signatory powers." Miss Wadsworth declared that Mr. Harrington should be saved from the wiles of such a girl, and after much deliberation it was decided to send him an anonymous note stating that for the protection of the sex certain girls had decided to cut him. Miss Spencer having made the proposition. The decision had been unanimous except for one girl. The note having been mailed and tea having been drunk, the girls separated.

When Harrington received the note he took it at once to Miss Spencer, telling her his opinion of women who could write such a note. Miss Spencer showed unmistakable signs of guilt and finally in tears confessed her part in the matter.

"Will you inform me," asked Harrington, "who was the girl who declined to enter upon this—conspiracy?"

"Irene Emerson," sobbed the culprit.

"Irene Emerson!"

"Yes. Do you know her?"

"I didn't when this boycott was decided on. I had never seen her. Since then it has been my good fortune to have been the accidental cause of her avoiding a serious accident, and in that way I made her acquaintance. I have been converted to the fact that a standard of honor may be lived up to by persons irrespective of sex, but I regret to have to tell you that my conversion has not come through you but the girl who, though she had never seen me, declined to join the conspiracy that you instituted. I beg to bid you good day."

Mr. Harrington called on Miss Emerson as soon as he could reach her after leaving Miss Spencer.

"The secret you were too honorable to betray," he said, "has been revealed to me. I have come to thank you for the noble part you have played and for re-establishing in me that reverence for women which all true women deserve."

There are men friends of Harrington—crusty old bachelors—who are mean enough to insinuate that Miss Emerson played a deep game.

DEHORNING DAIRY CATTLE.

With Right Tool Operation is Simple and Animal Not Injured.

The last time I took a trip into the Southwestern States and territories I saw wonderful changes from conditions of a few years previous. The first time I went down into that country, over twenty-five years ago, I saw thousands of long horned cattle on the ranges in Texas, while I could not find a single one during my last trip. I well remember my first experience with the saw and clippers. About fifteen years ago the majority of the dairymen and farmers were generally opposed to cutting off the horns from their cattle, I thought myself that the saw was all that could be imagined as an instrument of torture. I tried the saw on just one young bull, and was as quick and careful as possible about it, but it was a cruel piece of business. It took me several minutes to saw off both horns.

There was then a growing sentiment in favor of keeping dairy cows in their stanchions during feeding and milking time only. I thought then that if a dairy farmer had a covered barnyard or large, open shed into which the cows could be turned during a good portion of the time he could provide "cow comfort" in the full acceptation of the term. Thus the cows would be more likely to keep up their normal flow of milk during the full period of lactation.

Now we find that one of the first things to do with a herd of cows that are to run loose in a pasture or feed lot is to take off their horns. Any farmer can dehorn his cows with the latest pattern diamond shaped, double acting clippers, and there is no need of employing an expert.

I find even now that many farmers hate to attempt the job, and I shall never forget my first experience. I had a bull that was getting ugly, and I finally determined to divest him of his horny appendages. I used a pair of nose pincers, with about twelve feet of three-eighths inch rope, which gave a good grip on the bull's nose. My hired man seemed to be nervous, also. I took a quick hitch around a big post in the barnyard and pulled the bull's head around to his right side close to his body, while I stood at his left hip. He soon quieted down, and the hired man got hold of the rear end of the rope with both hands. I then opened the clippers wide and adjusted the diamond shaped opening over and close down to the base of the left horn. Assuming a bracing position, with my hands at the ends of the handles, I jerked the handles together suddenly with all the force I could muster. I quickly went to the grass, accompanied by the clippers and one bull horn. Come to think it over now, I could hardly tell who was the more surprised, the bull or myself. We soon had the bull's head brought around to the other side of his body, and it took only a minute to get the other horn off clean, and it came off so easy that even the bull was surprised that he had got out of the scrape so easily. The bull suffered less than you or I would in having a tooth extracted. In fact, it was much harder thinking about it and getting ready for the job.—J. H. Brown, Battle Creek, Mich., in *N. Y. Tribune Farmer.*

Big Colorado Wolves.

Big gray wolves, bigger than any mountain lions ever seen in this reuion, are making life interesting for the cattlemen in the neighborhood of Sweetwater Lake, in Grand County, these days, says the "Denver Republican."

According to a report received in the office of the State Game and Fish Commissioner recently from the ranch north of Gypsum owned by the Stevens Brothers, the wolves have become so bold that they are entering the corrals there and killing yearling colts and calves within easy gunshot of the ranch houses

The tracks of one of these marauders are said to be so big that it is estimated he must weigh in the neighborhood of 200 pounds. It is difficult to kill any of the wolves for the reason that they are as particular as a tiger about their food and having once killed a colt or a calf and eaten their fill they do not return to that particular spot in search of fresh victims. It does the cattlemen no good to sit up waiting for a second visit in the hopes of killing the destroyer of his herd, because the second visit seldom occurs until a long time afterward.

A Traveling Salesman.

H. F. eers, 617th Ave. Peoria, Ill., writes: "I have been troubled for some time with kidney trouble, so severely at times I could scarcely carry my grips. After using one bottle of Foley's Kidney Pills I have been entirely relieved, and cheerfully recommend them to all." Foley's Kidney Pills are healing and antiseptic and will restore health and strength. Sold by C. M. Parrish.

Cheapest accident insurance' Dr. Thomas' Electic Oil. Stops the pain and heals the wound. All druggists sell it.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought
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A Home-Made Portiere.

A handsome portiere or couch-cover fashioned after the style of the universally admired Bagdad may be worked out in burlap at very little expense.

Having chosen the desired shade for the foundation, measure the length (hemming at each end,) and allow about forty inches in width. Divide lengthwise into five equal parts by basting threads.

Cross-stitch each strip with such yarns as may be desired; cream, terra-cotta, blues, brick red, nile and medium green are all effective shades to use, while a border of black at each end sets off to good advantage the harmonizing tones. In almost every attic or store-room may be found yarns or worsteds very popular a score of years ago. These may be utilized, doubling the finer strands, or one may care to invest a small sum in quite new materials.

Be careful to make the stitches as neat as possible on the under side; when ready for service hang the portiere from a dull black pole, with rings to match. This curtain needs no lining.—Edna M. Gillmore, in *Woman's Home Compauion for January.*

Scotch Broth.

For a Scotch broth wipe three pounds of mutton cut from the fore quarter. Cut lean meat in one-inch cubes, put in kettle, cover with three pints of cold water, bring quickly to the boiling-point, skim and add one half cupful of barley which has soaked in cold water to cover overnight. Simmer one and one half hours or until meat is tender. Put bones in a second kettle, cover with cold water, heat slowly to boiling-point, skim and boil one and one-half hours. Strain water from bones, and add to meat. Fry for five minutes in two tablespoonfuls of butter, one fourth cupful each of carrot, turnip, onion and celery cut in one-half-inch cubes. Add to soup and cook until vegetables are soft; then season with salt and pepper. Thicken gravy with two tablespoonfuls each of butter and flour cooked together, and just before serving add one half tablespoonful of finely-chopped parsley.—*Fannie Merritt Farmer in Woman's Home Companion for January.*

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its states, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, action directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Pain along the back, dizziness, headache and general langour. Get a package of Mother Gray's Australian-Leaf, the plesant root and herb cure for all Kidney and Bladder and Urinary troubles. When you feel all run down, tired, weak and without energy use this remarkable combination of nature's herbs and roots. As a regulator it has no equal. Mother Gray's Australian-Leaf is sold by Druggists or sent by mail for 50¢. Sample sent Free. Address, The Mother Gray Co., LeRoy, N. Y.

It is a dangerous thing to take a cough medicine containing opiates that merely stifle your cough instead of curing it. Foley's Honey and Tar loosens and cures the cough and expels the poisonous germs, thus preventing pneumonia and consumption. Refuse substitutes and take only the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package. Sold by C. M. Parrish.

"Suffered day and night the torment of itching piles. Nothing helped me until I used Doan's Ointment. It cured me permanently."—Hon. John R. Garrett, Mayor, Girard, Ala.

Soothes itching skin. Heals cuts or burns with out a scar. Cures piles, eczema, salt rheum, any itching. Doan's Ointment. Your druggist sells it.

Cuard Hay Fever and Summr Cold.

A. S. Nusbaum, Batesville, Indiana, writes: "Last year I suffered for three months with a summer cold so distressing that it interfered with my business. I had many of the symptoms of hay fever, and a doctor's prescription did not reach my case, and I took several medicines which seemed only to aggravate it. Fortunately I insisted upon having Foley's Honey and Tar. It quickly cured me. My wife has since used Foley's Honey and Tar with the same success." Sold by C. M. Parrish.

CURED TO STAY CURED

How a Bellefonte Citizen Found Complete Freedom From Kidney Troubles.

If you suffer from backache—
From urinary disorders—
From any disease of the kidney.
Be cured to stay cured.
Doan's Kidney Pills make lasting cures.
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Hiram Fetterhoff, 28 W. Bishop Street, Bellefonte, Pa., says: "I have no hesitation in recommending Doan's Kidney Pills, knowing them to be a first-class kidney remedy. For some time I was annoyed by irregular passages of the kidney secretions and reading that Doan's kidney Pills were a specific for kidney complaint, I procured a supply at Green's Pharmacy Co. Their use relieved me and I am now in much better condition. Doan's Kidney Pills are certainly an effective kidney medicine." (Statement given October 21, 1907.)

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Kodol is for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, sour stomach, or for any stomach trouble. Kodol is very pleasant to take and it acts promptly. It digests all the food you eat, for it is composed of the very same digestive juices that are found in a healthy stomach. It is guaranteed to relieve you and is sold here by all druggists.

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I suffered habitually from constipation. Doan's Regulets relieved and strengthend the bowels, so that they have been regular ever since.—A. E. Davis, grocer, Sulphur Springs, Tex.

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Wouldn't it be nice within a week or so to begin to say goodbye forever to the scalding, dribbling, straining, or too frequent passage of urine; the forehead and the back-of-the-head aches; the stitches and pains in the back; the growing muscles weakness; spots before the eyes; yellow skin; sluggish bowels; swollen eyelids or ankles; leg cramps; unnatural short breath; sleeplessness and the despondency?

I have a recipe for those troubles that you can depend on, and if you want to make a quick recovery, you ought to write and get a copy of it. Many a doctor would charge you $3.50 just for writing this prescription, but I have it and will be glad to send it to you entirely free. Just drop me a line like this Dr. A. E. Robinson, "K" 325 Luck Building, Detroit, Mich, and I will send it by return mail in a plain envelope. As you will see when you get it, this recipe contains only pure, harmless remedies, but it has a great healing and pain-conquering power

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If it does, you should try Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills. Why not do so. They will relieve the pain in just a few minutes. Ask your druggist There are 45,000 druggists in the U. S. Ask any of them. A package of 25 doses costs 25 cents. One tablet usually stops a headache. They relieve pain without leaving any disagreeable after-effects—isn't that what you want?

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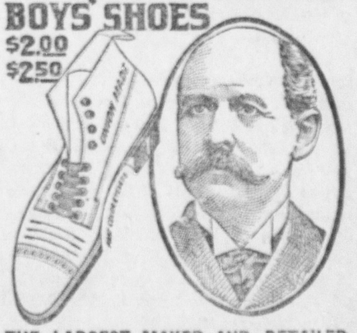

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Republican Caucus.

The Republicans in every election district in Centre county are requested to meet at the usual places for holding caucuses on Saturday, January 22nd, 1910, for the purpose of nominating candidates for borough, ward, township and precinct offices, to be voted for at the February election. The result of the caucuses must be returned to the County Chairman so that the same may be filed with the County Commissioners not later than January 25th, 1910.

HARRY KELLER,
County Chairman.

The Town Critic.

Every town and village has its little band of critics—men who hang onto existence by their eyelids and who can and do find fault with the Angel Gabriel.

Every community that has undertaken anything in the way of progress has had to contend with the Town Critic. Fortunately for the welfare and advancement of such communities there are more public spirited citizens than there are harpies. Like the proverbial hash at the boarding house, the harpie, the Town Critic, we have with us always. No matter how obnoxious, he must be endured until time finally shifts him off this earth and St. Peter is made to suffer his presence.

Even before the repairs to the Court House are completed the Town Critic is abroad seeking to scatter poison and instill prejudice in the public mind. As was to be expected, the fault finder is in his element. His only misfortune these days is that the weather is too cold for him to hold down the street corner while he expounds on the rapidity with which the Board of County Commissioners are sending everything to the bow-wows. Perched behind some other man's stove the Town Critic is at it, however, and doing his best to scare up an audience to hear him through.

It was ever thus. The Town Critic has his duty to perform, or thinks he has, and thats all there is to it. His relevance to the general welfare of the community is so great, so he imagines, as to cast a withering blight upon anything and everything he deems unworthy of discussion. Hence, he discusses everything. He can't help it. He fills his part in the life of any community just as diligently as does the village cut-up.

The grocery store loafer, who is a twin brother to the Town Critic, is also having his innings. He is rendering weighty opinions on the merits and demerits of the work of the Board of Commissioners. He points out, and eloquently, too, just how the Court House should have been repaired and remodeled. His conclusions are a work of art, with the name of the artist as yet, unfortunately, undiscovered.

Meanwhile, the Board of Commissioners are going ahead at the Court House. They are doing the best they know how and are being guided by their architect, a man of reputation such as to merit sympathetic co-operation instead of hostile criticism. It is undeniably true that all persons do not approve the course of Commissioners Woodring, Zimmerman and Dunlap. Some there are who wanted the extension placed at the front instead of the rear of the Court House. Others there are who find fault that the extension was not made larger. Still others complain that the Court House was not torn down and a new building erected. So there you are. You can't get any kind of an opinion you want. They are as numerous as whispered comments at a knitting society.

Honest criticism is wholesome ballast for any community and for any group of public officials. The citizen and tax payer, the man who pays his bills when they are due and whose character is such as to mean something among his neighbors, happily is not found identified with those who would slur and malign the Board of Commissioners even before the Court House work is completed. The public spirited citizen will, quite naturally, wait until the Court House repairs are completed and then examine them for himself before attempting to pass judgment or criticism, favorable or otherwise. This is as it should be. It is the only fair course to pursue.

The Board of Commissioners are giving their best efforts in this matter. It is at best a thankless task and one that selfish men would gladly shirk. They might have chosen a much easier time for themselves by declining to undertake the task. They regarded it as a duty, however, and to their credit let it be said that they were courageous enough to take up the work. They should be congratulated rather than criticised for their efforts in the line of progress and public improvement.

The Town Critic and the pull-back will, no doubt, continue to flock together. After all, they afford us diversion which is amusing even if not entertaining or instructive. The Town Critic cuts just about as much of a swath as did a certain Congressman out West. Inquiring a hack driver what the people thought of him, he received this bland reply:

"They don't think, they just smile."

Trade, Price, Prosperity.

Not a trade or a financial paper sees a cloud in the sky. No year ever opened with such a chorus of prosperity as was apparent in the reviews and prophecies which appeared last week in all newspapers. It is the universal belief of all authorities that 1910 opens with an absolute assurance of enlarging business, expanding profits, fair wages and continuous employments, such as was predicted in January, 1906, the best year in our history.

The first week of this golden year was one of rising prices in food, grain and meat, and of falling prices in securities and many manufacturing staples. The market for railroad shares and trusts fell sharply, though not far. A high rate for "money," or bank loans on call, going up to 20 per cent. on one day, had to do with a fall in the average of sixty active railway shares, $0.70, and ten industrials dropped about $1. This is the heaviest fall in a week in some time and it reflects a very general belief that the market for securities is as high as it is going. Congress is about to legislate, the period of rising prises is long extending over months, the rate for "money" is high, loanable capital is nearly exhausted, January dividends have not brought the investor out as was expected and the issue of $1,400,000,000 of new securities of last year is a good deal to "digest." These conditions breed a wise caution apparent in the share market.

Cotton fell last week a cent a pound and both leather and hides were weaker. The simple final reason for this is that high food has cut into the power of the masses to consume, and the demand in December and at the opening of the year does not justify large purchases by manufacturers. Cotton fell daily through the week. A yield of 10,500,000 bales—not probable—will meet the present demand. The advance of cotton goods has begun, but it is far short of the rise in cotton. Southern mills in their meeting last week agreed to reduce yarns about 1 per cent. Cotton has risen 77 per cent. since last year. Print cloths have only risen 36 per cent. in the past year. This disparity never exists when the consumer's demand has been maintained.

In boots and shoes the demand is below a big year, like 1906, by 29 per cent. though there are 5,800,000 more people to shoe now than then. But consumption does not keep pace. Hides and leather have risen. The manufacturer cannot advance his widely advertised prices. He buys sparingly and raw materials begin to yield.

In iron, steel, copper and tin the reverse is taking place. The December production of pig iron, 2,635,680 tons, beats any previous record and prices are still elastic and orders mounting on this output. Copper, already high, rose a sixth of a cent a pound, and tin a cent, while smelter and lead keep their high level. The demand of corporations and mills does this, though house building has passed its maximum.

Food also rose. Wheat rose 2 cents a bushel in New York and rose but reacted to the old level in Chicago. Corn rose 2 cents a bushel in Chicago and a cent in New York. Hogs reached $9, a record price in Chicago. The whole range of meats tends upward and consumption remains large. In six months 32,000,000 bushels more of wheat have been absorbed than in 1908, and 64,000,000 bushels more than in 1907. This large increase in wheat consumption is largely due to dear meat.

Railroads and banks are doing a larger and more prosperous business than ever. So is the Steel Trust, contractors and builders generally. The wage-earner is more uniformly employed. The salaried man and men with permanent places are squeezed by high food and so are manufacturers and distributers, as the high price of food reduces demand and raw materials with expenses rise on all sides. —*Philadelphia Press.*

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by Register Earle C. Tuten in the last week:

Orvis L. Horner, Sarah B. McClenahan,	Colyer Potters Mills
David A. Kephart, Beatrice S. Musser,	Brooklyn, N. Y. Spring Mills
George C. Wiser, Eleanorah Hipple.	Port Matilda Fleming
James E. Symmonds, Jennie E. Witmer.	Bellefonte "
Orlando Williams, Harriet Straw,	Julian Kermoore
Clyde G. Gray, Margaret A. Stevens,	Stormstown "
Carl Musser Cora A. Nelson	Philipsburg "
Walter C. Auman Edna M. Braucher	Spring Mills "

Samuel Moyer Dead.

Samuel Moyer, a life long resident of Sugar Valley, died last Thursday at his home at Logan Mills. He had been in declining health for a number of years. Deceased was 68 years of age and is survived by a widow and five children. Interment was made on Monday at Greenbur, Rev. Frank Wetzel, of Rebersburg, officiating.

Basket ball Tomorrow Night.

The Altoona High School basket ball team will meet the Bellefonte Academy team at the Y. M. C. A. here tomorrow night. The game will be called at 8 o'clock. Admission, 25 cents.

Train Schedule.

Pennsylvania Railroad.

FOR TYRONE—Leave Bellefonte at 9.15 A. M., 1.07 P. M. and 4.45 P. M. Sunday, 9.15 A. M. and 4.45 P. M.

FOR LOCK HAVEN—Leave Bellefonte at 9.35 A. M., 1.25 P. M. and 8.20 P. M. Sunday, 9.50 A. M. and 8.20 P. M.

FOR MONTANDON—Leave Bellefonte at 6.35 A. M. and 1.50 P. M. Trains from Montandon arrive at Bellefonte at 9.05 A. M. and 4.20 P. M.

FOR SNOW SHOE Leave Bellefonte at 9.15 A. M. and 5 P. M. Trains from Snow Shoe arrive at Bellefonte at 9.35 A. M. and 4.15 P. M.

Bellefonte Central R. R.

FOR STATE COLLEGE Leave Bellefonte at 6.30 A. M., 10.15 A. M. and 2 P. M. Trains from State College arrive at Bellefonte at 8.50 A. M., 12.50 P. M. and 6 P. M.

Central R. R. of Penna.

FOR MILL HALL Leave Bellefonte at 7.05 A. M., 2.20 P. M. and 6.55 P. M. Trains from Mill Hall arrive at Bellefonte at 9.40 A. M., 5.05 P. M. and 9.40 P. M.

Penny-A-Word Column.

STOCKS—If you have any inactive mining, industrial or plantation stock which you wish to dispose of, write us. Address 715 Majestic Bldg. Milwaukee.

FOR RENT—Steam heated apartments, fronting on Diamond, 5 rooms and bath Newly painted and papered. Possession given at once. F. W. Crider.

AGENTS WANTED—Ladies make $3 to $5 daily selling Dress Goods, Skirts and Handkerchiefs. Free outfit. No capital required. Mutual Fabric Co., Dept. 90, Binghamton, N. Y. 1-13-2tx

Agents Wanted We pay $80 a month salary and furnish rig and all expenses to introduce poultry and powders; new plan and steady work. Address Bigler Co., X 981 Springfield, Illinois. 1-13-2tx

FOR RENT—Three large steam heated rooms over Olewine's Hardware store. Also three back rooms in Exchange Building—Suitable for living or workrooms. F. W. Crider.

WANTED A lady about 25 years old to learn the jewelry business; good permanent position to right party. Address Watchmaker, 511 Main Street, Towanda, Pa. 11-18, tf.

LOST—Between the Bellefonte Furnace and the Central Penna. R. R. roundhouse, a bunch of keys. Finder will be rewarded on returning same to J. N. Shearer at the Bush House.

WANTED—Men quickly by big Chicago Mail Order house to distribute catalogues, advertise, etc. $21.00 a week. Liberal expense allowance first month. No experience required. Globe Association, 1212 State St., Chicago. 1-6-4t

Houses For Sale—I have two houses for sale, in Milesburg Borough; one for $700 and one for $500, on easy terms. Much better inducements for cash.

L. C. BULLOCK, JR.,
8-19-tf Overseer-of-the-Poor.

How 50 cents made $200 and $5 made 2,000 in a short time is the title of a fascinating booklet, which especially investors of small means looking for similar opportunities ought to read. Copy free on application. Address, Pres. A. L. Waterbury, 356 Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill. 1-6-6tx

Wanted—Young men to learn automobile business by mail and prepare for positions as chaffeurs and repair men. We make you expert in ten weeks; assist you to secure position. Pay big; work pleasant, demand for men great; reasonable; write for particulars and sample lesson. Empire Automobile Institute, Rochester, N. Y.

For Rent.

Storage Rooms in Exchange Building, at one dollar per month.

F. W. CRIDER.

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One team horses.....$350
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One team horses $500

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F. W. CRIDER.

A Strong Prescription.

Menelik, emperor of Abyssinia, often dabbled in medicine. Some years ago Mme. Stevenin, the wife of a prominent member of the French colony at Addis Abeba, was laid up with fever. Menelik inquired what treatment she was undergoing and expressed disapproval when he learned that she was being dosed with quinine. The following day a messenger called with a large pot of very rancid butter, accompanied by a letter from one of the emperor's secretaries stating that his royal master hoped that madame would take three glasses daily of the butter sent, which had been stored for two years and would be found an infallible remedy. The present was gratefully acknowledged and promptly buried, and when madame recovered Menelik took to himself the credit of her cure.

Effects of Drugs.

Persons employed in india rubber factories sometimes inhale bisulphide of carbon and suffer from frightful dreams of being murdered or of falling over precipices. Opium stimulates imagination; alcohol in excess excites dread and suspicion; hasheesh, from which the word assassin was derived, produces homicidal mania. These drugs have a distinct effect upon the moral sense. Sometimes, as from alcohol, a coarse and stupid brutality is stimulated, or, as from morphia, a gloomy and morose temper, or, as from cocaine, while the manner remains gentle, the victim develops thieving and lying habits.

STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Range of New York Stocks yesterday. Quotations furnished by T. S. Strawn, Temple Court.

	Opened	Closed.
Aml. Copper	87½	86¼
Anc. Copper	52⅜	51
Am. Smelting	100	97⅞
Nat. Lead	86½	86⅞
Am. Car Foundry	69¾	69½
Am. Locomotive	58⅝	58¼
Col. Fuel & Iron	47⅝	45
Press Steel Car	49	48
Brooklyn Rap. Transit	79	77⅞
Penna.	135⅛	134¼
Reading	166⅛	165⅛
Nor Pacific	140	138⅜
Atchison	120⅞	119⅞
St. Paul	153¼	151¼
Can. Pacific	179¾	179½
Rock Island	45⅛	44½
Rock Island, Pfd	84½	84½
New York Central	122¾	121½
Louisville & Nashville	156½	155¼
Illinois Central	146	
Missouri Pacific	70¼	69¼
Balto. & Ohio	117¾	117⅛
Chesapeake & Ohio	90⅜	89¾
Norfolk & Western	98	97¾
Union Pacific	199	196⅝
Southern Pacific	134⅜	133¼
Erie 1st	33	32¾
P. M.	39	37
U. S. Steel	87⅛	86¼
U. S. Steel, Pfd	123¼	123⅛
Republic	43⅝	42½
Republic, Pfd	103¼	
Am. Sugar	122⅛	122¼
Texas	34¾	34½
Kansas & Texas	48⅝	48
Wabash	23½	22½
Wabash, Pfd	54	52⅞
Distillers Sec	35⅞	35⅝
Am. Cotton Oil	65¾	66
Interborough	62⅜	60¾
Ontario & Western	48½	47¾
Southern Ry	31⅞	31⅝
Peoples Gas	113½	113⅜
Great Northern	138½	136⅝
Am. Woolen	35⅞	34
Delaware & Hudson	180	179¾
Gas	156	154⅜
T. Ave.	18	17½

ORCHARD DEMONSTRATION

Announcement Soon of 1,000 Selected as Models.

State Zoologist Surface will soon announce the owners and location of the 1,000 orchards which have been selected as models for demonstration purposes in different parts of Pennsylvania. The model orchard plan is attracting widespread attention over the country. It is not improbable that one or more will be selected in Centre county, or some adjoining county, for demonstration purposes. The Fisher orchard, at Unionville, may be one of those selected.

"It is the most pretentious work ever undertaken for any class of Pennsylvania farmers," said Professor Surface at Harrisburg, "and it is bound to result in one of two ways either it will be the most successful agricultural effort the State has ever witnessed, or else it will be the most disastrous failure. We are hoping, of course, for the former, and will put forth every effort to that end."

The model orchard is the evolution of the original field work of the division of economic zoology, which was started about half a dozen years ago. From one man the force of field workers has been increased to thirty. The plan whereby these men worked in purely private orchards, although productive of excellent results, was not entirely satisfactory to the State's scientific agriculturists, and arrangements were made to place one or two orchards in a county under the direct supervision and care of the field men of the division, the latter doing the work in order to demonstrate the truth of thei principles, and the owners of the orchards reaping the benefits of increased production and superior grades of fruit.

The present model orchard scheme was the sequence of that work, horticulturists throughout the State being invited to tender the use of their trees. All the State will do will be to use its experts in instructing the owners how to care for their soil and trees. The owner will be under obligations to follow such instructions as closely as possible. His reward will come at harvest time.

The model orchards are divided into two classes—demonstration orchards and supervision orchards. The latter class is by far the larger in number. The demonstration orchards will be only a few to each county. In them the State's field workers will themselves do a great deal of the work, the material and apparatus, however, being furnished by the owners, as in the supervision orchards, or any other orchards.

The demonstration orchards will also be used for frequent periodical public meetings of the kind already familiar to the horticulturists, and it is at them that the field workers will have their local headquarters, where they may be sought for advice.

New Appraiser Here.

John B. Harris, of Walker township, the new Mercantile Appraiser, was in town on Monday and took the oath of office. He will begin his new work in the near future. Mr. Harris stands well among his home people, which after all is about the highest recommendation any one can have. We wish him well in his work and are confident that he will acquit himself with credit.

Bellefonte Markets.

Corrected by John Meese, Grocer.

Eggs, per dozen	.32
Butter, per pound	.30
Lard, per pound	.15
Tallow, per pound	.05
Potatoes, per bushel	.65
Onions, yellow, per bushel	.75

Bellefonte Grain Market.

Corrected by Gamble, Gheen & Co.

Wheat, red	$1.20
Wheat, white	1.15
Corn, shelled (per bu.)	.70
Corn, ears, (per bu.)	.70
Oats, (per bu.)	.50
Rye, (per bu.)	.70
Barley, (per bu.)	.60
Buckwheat, (per bu.)	.50

Male Help Wanted:—$12.50 buys $105.00 worth goods, free advertising to sell them and starts you as Mgr. for big Chicago mail order house. $60.00 expense allowance first month. Address President, 1200 State St., Chicago.

SALESMEN WANTED—$90.00 a month salary and all expenses and extra commission to introduce Poultry and Stock Powders. No cash deposit or bond asked. The Grant Co., A 25, Springfield, Ill. 12-23-6t.

Unclaimed Letters.

The following letters remain unclaimat the postoffice for the last week: Miss Olive Bloom, B. M. Emerick, Miss Nellie McEwen, "Myrtle," 14, Saxon Street, Sylvester Myers, Miss Mary Shope, Mrs. Rebecca Stine, J. K. Shulb. Persons calling for these letters will kindly explain that the same have been advertised in "The Republican."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR CONGRESS.

I desire to announce myself as a candidate for Congress, subject to the action of the primaries of the Republican party, in the Twenty-first Congressional District of Pennsylvania.

C. F. BARCLAY.

FOR CONGRESS.

You are authorized to announce my name as a candidate for Congress, from the 21 Congressional District composed of the Counties of Clearfield, McKean, Centre and Cameron, subject to the Rules of the Republican Party. Primary Election, June 4, 1909.

Yours truly,
CHAS. E. PATTON
Curwensville,
Clearfield County.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

We are authorized to announce the name of William H. Musser as a candidate for nomination for Justice of the Peace for the North Ward, of Bellefonte, subject to the action of the primaries of the Republican party to be held on January 22, 1910.

Auctioneer.

J. I. Reed, Pine Grove Mills, Pa. General auctioneer offers his service to the public. Farm and stock sales a specialty. Satisfaction guaranteed. For telephone communciation call J. B. Krebs & Bros. store.

A Bank Account

Is the First Step Towards Success--
Let us Open one for You.

No matter how small your first deposit, your account will have the same care; the services of the bank are at your disposal as fully as if you were the largest depositor. Let us give you a bank book, a book of blank checks; let us take your signature and start you right. We know you will feel better with a snug sum in this strong bank, payable on demand.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK,
BELLEFONTE, PA.
Capital $100,000. Surplus $140,000.

We Buy

Timber Land, Manufactured Lumber, Mine Material, Pulp Wood and White Pine Novelty Wood.

We Manufacture

Lumber of all kinds, Building Material, rough and worked novelties in wood.

We Sell

Doors, Sash, Frames, Lumber, Lath, Paling, Flooring, Siding, Mouldings, Oregon Red Cedar Shingles, Southern lumber of all kinds.

Agents for

Paroid Roofing--the best in the market.

P. B. CRIDER & SON.
Office, Yard and Mill at Lamb st. Bridge, Bellefonte, Pa.

The County at a Glance.

Howard.

At a recent meeting of Washington Camp, No. 518, P. O. S. of A., the following officers were elected for the current term: President, Ellis Ertle; vice president, John Turner; master of forms, J. Z. Loder; conductor, Frank Williams; treasurer, J. Shuman Holter; recording secretary, Charles E. Pletcher; financial secretary, C. H. Pletcher; inspector, Wm. Long; guard, Charles Lucas; trustees, J. H. Schenck, Charles Pletcher, T. A. Pletcher.

The rain and sleet storm in this section last week was one of the worst we have had for many years. The streets and pavements were so slippery as to endanger life and limb and travel was very difficult. Telephone wires were broken down by the weight of ice that hung on them and branches of trees were also broken off. Photographer Sprankle secured a number of photographs of the ice festoons in different parts of the town.

The death of A. J Gardner, which is noted elsewhere in this paper, removes one of our most aged and highly respected citizens and one who will be greatly missed. His life was a model for the ideal citizen and his integrity worthy of emulation. May we have many more men of his type.

The exceptionally good condition of the roads for sleighing and sledding has given occasion for a number of sledding parties and the young folks are taking every advantage of it. On Friday evening a load went from this place to Eagleville where they were entertained at the home of some friends. One evening last week a load from Lock Haven found their way to Howard and were hospitably entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Loder. This week a number of others are planned.

S. I. Reber attended the funeral of his cousin at Bellefonte last Friday.

J. Will Mayes, our up-to-date granite and marble dealer, has been in the New England States the past week visiting the various quarries there for the selection of his stock for the coming season.

Mr. and Mrs. Cookman Leathers returned to Howard last Friday from their honeymoon trip and were tendered a reception by Mr. Leathers' mother, Mrs. W. T. Leathers. About fifty guests were present to receive the young couple and wish them well.

Merrill Smith, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith, is quite ill with typhoid fever.

Henry Confer returned home on Friday from Hyner for a visit with his family.

While playing at their home last Friday evening Thomas Shay, a son of John Shay, threw a file at his brother Walter in a playful way, and the point of the instrument struck just beneath the eye. The little fellow just escaped losing the sight of the eye, as the wound was close enough to be dangerous.

Mrs. H. S. Pletcher left on Saturday for a brief visit with friends in Williamsport.

Miss Jennie Holter and sister Sue, of Williamsport, are visiting their many relatives and friends here.

W. H. Long was a visitor to Lock Haven on Sunday.

David Tanyer, of Curtin, greeted his many friends in town Saturday.

Quite a serious accident happened to a number of our Liberty township friends on Sunday afternoon. Albert Schenck, in his usual good natured way, took a load of people to the Hunter Run Methodist church for the preaching services. When they started for home the team driven by Mr. Schenck started off on a gallop and just as they reached the culvert that spans Hunter's Run the butt chains came loose and the sled skidded to one side of the road, dumping its load of human beings over a ten-foot embankment into the run. All were more or less bruised and injured. Mrs. Bower Schenck received a slight concussion of the brain and her body was also badly lacerated. She was unconscious for some time, but rallied later.

The arrival of 150 pounds of oleo here on Monday will help to solve the butter problem some.

Mrs. E. S. Dorworth and Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Hicklin, of Bellefonte, attended the funeral of the late lamented Jackson Gardner on Saturday.

Mrs. Oscar Yerger, of Bellefonte, visited her brother Clyde, on Sunday.

The shippers of paper wood, mine ties, timber, etc., are taking advantage of the good sledding and are getting their products to the railroad.

The several ice houses about town are already filled with ice of the finest quality and there is no danger of a dearth of this cooling product next season.

W. B. McCloskey and George Weaver were business visitors to Bellefonte on Friday.

Joseph Loder transacted business in Lock Haven on Saturday.

Harry Miller returned home from the woods last week.

Samuel Holter was a visitor to Mill Hall on Monday.

Miss Alice Pletcher arrived home from Salisbury, Md., on Monday, at which place she had been engaged as a milliner.

Miss Bertha Knoll, who had been spending her vacation at the home of her mother, returned to Philadelphia on Tuesday to resume her duties as a trained nurse.

James Kane left on Tuesday for Altoona, where he has secured employment.

Edward Casselberry, of State College, visited relatives here on Tuesday.

By being thrown off a load of ties on Monday afternoon John Dietz, of Jacksonville, was badly cut on the head, had three ribs broken and received internal injuries that will lay him up for some time.

A number of young folks from Bellefonte, enjoyed a sled ride to Howard on Tuesday evening. A chicken and waffle supper was the principal feature during the stay at Howard.

Pine Grove.

The "Week of Prayer" was observed last week and was very well attended. Everybody seemed pleased with the eloquent addresses delivered during the week.

J. W. Sunday transacted business at Bellefonte during the week.

Henry Krebs, the carriage maker, and his daughter, Lucy, were business visitors to Bellefonte on Monday.

James McQuilliams, John B. Goheen and Emanuel Rhone attended the meet- of the Centre Hall Insurance Company, at Bellefonte. on Monday.

Miss Sarah Kepler entertained a friend from State College over Sunday.

Miss Maud Johnson, our primary teacher, spent Saturday at her home at Bellefonte.

Miss Lulu Stover and mother, of Bellwood, are spending a week at the home of J. G. Heberling.

N. C. Neidigh and wife were royally entertained at the home of G. W. Keichline on Sunday.

Sleighing is fine and everybody seems to be out enjoying it.

Gordon Harper was so unfortunate as to lose a fine bay horse last week. It fell on the ice and broke its hip.

L. D. Musser transacted business at the County Commissioners' office, at Bellefonte, on Monday.

Miss Verna Stevenson, teacher of the Oak Grove school, has closed the school for a few days owing to illness at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Swartz, at Bellefonte.

A very merry and happy crowd from Scotia came over for a sled ride and spent a delightful evening at the J. A. Decker home.

George Woods, a student at State College, spent Sunday at his home here.

Dr. George Krebs has been housed up with a bad cold.

Miss Mary Rumberger has been visiting her uncle, C. B. McCormick, this week.

Miss Sofie Hunter is ill with heart trouble and Mrs. Felix is suffering from a stroke of paralysis.

Andrew Glenn last week had a tumble down the porch steps, injuring his hip so that he has not been able to be out since.

John Shuey and family and Thomas Glenn and wife were Sunday visitors at the Will Glenn home, just west of town.

Rev. J. E. Bierly is holding protracted meeting in Meek's church. It is being well attended.

J. A. Fortney and wife, of Tusseyville, visited friends in town over Sunday.

Henry S. Illingsworth, of Marietta, is spending his vacation at Grandpa Snyder's, at Bloomsdorf.

On Saturday afternoon, while Grant Charles and wife were out sleighing, the sleigh capsized leaving them by the wayside. The horse ran about one mile before it was caught. Many other upsets are reported. While William Hoy was turning out for an auto, his entire sled load of store goods upset and were scattered for many rods over the ice.

Solomon Lohr upset a sled load of farm implements. He was badly bruised.

The venerable David Henderson, while out with his high steppers, had an upset which left him and his wife on the ice. Both are past the 70 year mark but they seemed to enjoy the fun.

Frank Rhodenizer was badly shaken up in a collision while out coasting. Dr. Woods attended to his bruises.

Budd Glenn, who has been confined to the house, is better but not improving as fast as his friends hope for.

On Saturday evening the John Kimport home, east of Boalsburg, was all aglow. A sledding party from the Branch and Boalsburg was on deck. On Monday evening two sled loads of "Branchers" enjoyed a ride to the Old Fort to partake of a grand supper which that noted hotel man provided.

Last Saturday evening the officers of Leonard Grange, at Rock Springs, were installed by Past Master E. C. Musser, of Centre Grange. The installation services were topped off by a delicious supper, furnished by the sisters of the Grange. The officers installed follow:

Master, Milo M. Campbell.
Overseer, David Elder.
Lecturer, Harry Koch.
Steward, William Dawson.
Assistant Steward, Samuel Elder.
Chaplain, G. B. Campbell.
Treasurer, E. T. Parsons.
Secretary, D. C. Peterson.
G. K., Isaac Campbell.
Pomona, Mary Elder.
Ceres, William D. Peterson.
Flora, Bertha Campbell.
L. A. S., Mrs. Harry Koch.

Mrs. D. C. Patterson presided at the organ.

On Saturday last, at 2 P. M., Comrade William H. Musser, of Gregg Post, No. 95, G. A. R., installed the officers of Captain Foster Post, No. 197, at Lemont, as follows:

Commander, W. E. Tate.
S. Vice, George Martz.
J. Vice, John Meckley.
Chaplain, Henry Sowers.
Quarter-master, Hiram Thompson.
O. D., Ira Lytle.
Surgeon, L. H. Osman.
Sergt-Major, Henry Fishil.
Adjutant, John Stuart.

Although the ranks are thinning out two new recruits were recently mustered in and two more are waiting for the next regular meeting.

Centre Hall.

Mrs. Lizzie Jacobs returned home from a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. John Stuart, at State College.

Miss Ella Condo, the Penn Hall school teacher, was in Centre Hall on Saturday.

Aaron Thomas and family spent a day with Mrs. Thomas' aged father, William Witmer, up Buffalo Run.

Miss Lizzie Boozer, who is teaching school at Aaronsburg, spent Sunday at home.

Will Stump, who clerked for G. O. Benner, is now employed with Robt. Foreman, the grain and coal dealer, Lyman Smith, his partner, having retired.

Dist. Atty. W. G. Runkle spent Sunday at Centre Hall.

Fine sleighing and coasting around Centre Hall and the people are making good use of it.

D. J. Meyer and wife left Centre Hall for Columbia, S. C., to visit their daughter, Mrs. Witmer McCormick, whose husband is an undertaker at that place. She will remain there the remainder of the winter.

George Homan had quite a number of horses delivered at Centre Hall to ship to eastern markets. George is an expert buyer.

Mrs. Benjamin Arney has returned from a visit to her sister-in-law in Altoona.

Mrs. Bitts, nee Miss Durst, and daughter, Mildred, are visiting Miss Anna Bible, east of town.

Harry Harper spent Sunday with his wife. Harry has secured employment with the Lingle Foundry Co., of Bellefonte. All wish him success.

David Taylor, a motorman from Altoona, spent Sunday in town.

Perry Alters and brother, Harry, and also his father and mother, were seen driving through Centre Hall. Joe used to be one of Centre Hall's best carpenters.

Mrs. Vincent and daughter, Rebe, came up from Watsontown to see her daughter, Mrs. Beeber, and the new grand-daughter. They pronounced the heir to be great.

Harry Camp, the Tyrone candy manufacturer, was in town on Saturday.

E. W. Sweeny, of Boalsburg, spent some time at the home of his sister, Mrs. Michael Condo, at the station.

The family of Robert Sweetwood spent Sunday with Miss Lizzie Runkle, on Main street.

W. Gross Mingle, the Howard creamery man, returned home after a few days visit to the eastern part of the State.

Earl Fleming is visiting his aunt, Miss Kate Fleisher. Earl is one of Centre Hall's boys who has made good. He is an expert accountant in New York city.

State College.

Miss Ethel Grieb, a student at the West Chester Normal School, has returned to that place to resume her studies after a delightful visit at her home here for the holidays.

Messrs Clay and Robert Campbell were guests recently at the home of their sister, Mrs. H. D. Meek.

Harry Grimm, who is second assistant to the chief engineer of the Pennsylvania Railroad, at Pittsburg, was home for the holidays.

H. J. Patterson, who is located at College Park, Md., was here with his mother, Mrs. W. C. Patterson, for the holidays and during "Farmers Week" delivered several very interesting lectures.

Mrs. W. S. Glenn recently entertained her sister, Mrs. Thomas F. Steele and the latter's husband, who reside at Derry, and also her brother, J. C. Sloan, of Latrobe.

Mrs. H. E. Decker, of Calkins, and B. Buback, of Honesdale, were last week guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Knoll, on West Beaver Avenue.

C. V. Boehm, who graduated from State last June and who is located at Pittsburg, was a recent visitor at the home of O. C. Smith.

Edwin A. Meginney-Hood, of Mansfield, Ohio, last week visited his parents at 212 South Atherton Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowers, of Jersey Shore, and Miss Mary Mauck, of Millheim, were last week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith.

Miss Mae McMahon has returned to the Indiana State Normal School after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. Diemer Pearce.

The Misses Lawton, who are attending a seminary at Plainfield, N. J., last week visited Miss Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. A S. Benner, of Perkasie, were holiday visitors at the home of their daughter, Mrs. C. D. Fehr.

Mrs. I. C. Holmes has returned home after an enjoyable visit with her brother, William McCalmont, at Philadelphia.

Fowler.

Thomas Marks made a business trip to Osceola on Tuesday.

We are having fine sleighing and enjoying it, too.

R. H. Poorman recently made a trip to his home at Lock Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nearhoof took advantage of the fine sleighing and visited their daughter, Mrs. Ernest Moore, at Julian, on Sunday.

A. R. Price made a business trip to Bellefonte a few days ago.

LeRoy and Alonzo Nearhoof have purchased a new sleigh, so girls, be ready for some fine sleigh rides.

J. T. Beckwith entertained several friends on Sunday.

William Fink, of Julian, visited at the home of H. R. Newman on Sunday.

It is with pleasure that we note the improvement in the condition of the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Walk, who has been quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Weaver, of Mt. Pleasant, passed through our village on Sunday, enroute to Tyrone to visit their daughter.

Quite a few of our people attended the funeral of the late A. Y. Williams, at Port Matilda.

The stork has again been busy. This time it left a fine boy at the home of D. O. Downing, and the mother and baby are getting along splendidly.

STATE TREASURER-ELECT STOBER DIES SUDDENLY

He is Found Dead in Bed on Monday Morning.

CAUSES NEW PROBLEM

Speculation as to How and When His Successor Shall be Chosen—Case is Unique—Submitted to Attorney General for Opinion.

State Treasurer-elect J. A. Stober was found dead in his bed early last Monday morning by Mrs. Stober at their home in Schoeneck township, near Lancaster. Heart disease is given as the cause of death.

Mr. Stober was in Lancaster as late as Friday night last concluding arrangements for a dinner complimentary to a few of his social and political friends in celebration of his recent election. He retired in his usual good health on Sunday night and at 3 o'clock in the morning awoke and spoke to his wife. Three hours later she called him to rise and found that life was extinct. Dr. F. G. Zimmerman, the family physician, was summoned, but could not revive Mr. Stober.

Although Mr. Stober had not complained of illness many of his friends believe that the sudden collapse was the result of the very arduous campaign in which he engaged last fall.

Although he received the unanimous vote of his party at the state convention last June and his victory by a very comfortable majority was foreshadowed by leading members of both parties, he entered into the work of the campaign with aa much zest and ardor as if a close battle was to be anticipated, and with his colleague on the ticket, Senator A. E. Sisson, of Erie, made a tour of the State, visiting almost every county, and making numerous public addresses, in which he strengthened his popularity and enlisted thousands of voters in his cause. He looked forward eagerly to assuming his duties at Harrisburg and had about wound up his business affairs, preparatory to moving to the State Capitol.

Numerous cases are being looked up to find precedents in such a case as the death of a State Treasurer before he assumed his office, but it is stated at Harrisburg that the situation is unique in the history of the State. Not only does the question of whether a vacancy exists enter into the matter, but also the acts governing the office and the constitutional amendments just enacted.

It is expected that a nomination for State Treasurer will be called for in each of the party calls for conventions in the spring.

By State Department officials it is believed that Governor Stuart must appoint a State Treasurer to serve from the expiration of Treasurer Sheatz's term until a new treasurer may be elected. By others it is thought that Treasurer Sheatz will serve until his successor is elected and qualifies for the office. The matter has been submitted to Attorney General Todd for his opinion.

Mt. Eagle.

Miss Gertrude Leathers, youngest daughter of Mrs. Etta Leathers, on Monday lighted the fire under the boiler, which started the machinery in Earl Leathers' new handle factory.

Roy Heverly, one of Mt. Eagle's young men who has been in the West for some time past, is greeting old friends at home and also at Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pheasant returned home on Monday night from Altoona where they attended the funeral of the latter's brother, Thomas McCormick.

William Gates departed on Monday for Jersey Shore, where he expects a position firing for the New York Central.

The icy weather is very hard on the fruit trees, many breaking down and others having branches destroyed.

Mrs. Hoy and Miss Royer, of Bellefonte, spent last Saturday at the home of Mrs. J. B. Leathers.

Miss Anna Deitz and Miss Lipton spent Sunday with Eagleville friends.

A number of persons from here attended the funeral of A. Jackson Gardner, at Howard, on Saturday.

Clarence Leathers had his leg badly bruised while out coasting on Saturday night.

Woodward.

L. L. Weaver and family spent Saturday in town.

Roy Musser had business in Aaronsburg and Millheim on Saturday.

John Fultz and wife spent the Sabbath with friends in town.

Revival seryices in the United Evangelical Church.

Mrs. C. D. Motz had business in Millheim on Thursday.

The stork passed over our village last week and left twin baby boys at the home of Edward Glantz.

Squire Musser and wife spent the Sabbath at the home of Thomas Wolf.

Mabelle Stover spent Sunday with her Grandma, Mrs. Wolf.

Misses Lodie and Nora Motz and Miss Sarah Orndorf spent Sunday at the home of J. J. Orndorf.

This is the Season for

Coughs and Colds.

Do not neglect a Cough or Cold, especially at this time of the year--Immediate attention and care will save you from more serious trouble--Protect yourself against any emergency by having on hand

REXALL COUGH SYRUP

Finest Remedy in the Land for Coughs and Colds.

GREEN'S PHARMACY CO.

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Runville.

Everybody hereabouts wonders what has become of the Snow Shoe correspondent.

The merry jingle of the sleigh bells is heard day and night.

C. B. Friel is suffering with a very sore throat.

Miss Grayce Bingham, clerk in Katz & Co.'s store, at Bellefonte, was the guests of Charles Lucas' family on Sunday.

Calvin Hoy spent Sunday with his parents in Hublersburg.

Merrill Poorman transacted business at Snow Shoe on Saturday.

Mrs. Cyrus Lucas is on the sick list.

W. H. Lucas went to Wingate on Sunday evening. He is employed as a night watchman there.

Mrs. Nannie Walker, widow of the late Milligan Walker, was greeting her many friends in our village last week.

Miss Mabel Flick, who has been the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Friel, for some time, departed on Saturday evening for her home at Bellwood.

A bright and pretty baby girl has arrived to bless the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Watson.

Miss Myrtle Markley has gone to Bellefonte, where she has secured employment in the shirt factory.

W. L. Shirk, who is employed at Bellefonte, spent Sunday with his family here.

The brakeman on the Snow Shoe passenger train met with an accident on Saturday morning while the train was making its first trip to Snow Shoe Intersection. At the Gum-stump flag station, he was thrown from the train and sustained quite a few bad bruises.

Millheim.

Ira Hoover, of Illinois, a former citizen of this town, is on a visit here among relatives and friends for few weeks.

Sheriff W. E. Hurley was in town last week on business. His spare time was occupied playing checkers with some of the boys here.

H. W. Smith Superintendent of the Commercial Telephone Exchange, with a gang of men was here looking after the lines last week.

Thomas Miller, of Philadelphia, shipped a car load of horses by express to West Chester last Friday. In buying this load of horses, he was assisted by the well known horse buyer, George E. Homan, of this borough.

Deputy Revenue Collector G. W. Rees, of Bellefonte, had business here a few days ago.

Frank Collier's team of bay horses ran away last week. One of the horses was badly injured and the sled was wrecked.

E. M. Brown, of Bellefonte, had business here one day last week.

Our merchants here feel quite well contented as a result of the nice business they had during the holiday season. The two stores of Jerome Spigelmyer had a tremendous business, even surpassing the splendid record of past years.

The banquet given by W. A. Tobias to the officers and directors of the Farmers National Bank, at the National Hotel on Tuesday, was a success. W. A. Tobias having passed the 77th milestone, the banquet was to celebrate his birthday anniversary. The following participated: G. S. Frank, president; A. A. Frank, first vice president; C. L. Gramley, second vice president; John G. Eby, Cashier L. E. Stover, Henry Duck, of Millheim; W. H. Philips and Harvey Crouse, of Aaronsburg; John Roush, of Madisonburg; Frank Fisher, of Penn Hall, Willaim Pealer, of Spring Mills, Directors, and P. P. Musser, of the Millheim "Journal".

Blanchard.

W. H. Austin is wearing a smile that won't come off over the arrival of No. 6 in his family. It is a boy. Mother and baby are enjoying good health.

John Moon and Christ Stover, both of Philadelphia, visited friends here during the holidays.

Harvey Kunes recently spent a few days with his family.

Roy Burlew, of Emporium, visited his father and mother during the holiday season.

Miss Margaret Quigley, of Pittsburg, spent her holiday vacation with her father, Captain Quigley.

On Thursday night of last week a number of Frank Kline's friends decided to tender him a suprise party. Over fifty of them assembled at his home but Frank was wise to the situation as some one had spoken over the telephone. Needless to say they all had a royal good time.

Edward Bechdel has bought the livery stock of Robert Cook and is now running an up-to-date livery.

Over one hundred and sixty parents and friends of the High School boys and girls attended the annual reception here on New Year's evening. The interest manifested shows how popular this social gathering has become.

Miss Myers, of Huntingdon, was a guest recently at the Bechdel home.

While going home from the Hunter Run church last Sunday, Albert Schenck's team became frightened, ran away and threw the occupants out of the sled into the run seriously injuring Mrs. Bower Schenck with internal injuries and a slight concussion of the brain; Mrs. Loss had several ribs fractured and Ellery Tice received a badly bruised shoulder. Mrs. Schenck is in a critical condition at present, having regained consciousness but being unable to talk.

Since the ice has formed over the roads it is quite a sight to see the children coming to school on their skates and the men and boys going to work at the brick works in a manner that all enjoy.

Mrs. Carrie Stricker and uncle, Christ Robb, were Howard visitors recently.

Miss Olive Clark is visiting friends in Williamsport.

Edward Williams, of Clearfield, recently visited at the home of John Fravel.

A sled load of young folks from Howard spent an evening at the home of Albert Kunes.

Charles Kunes and wife spent Sunday in Howard.

Miss Boone, of Howard, spent Sunday with Laura Kunes.

Alvin Kline moved his family to Braddock where he has secured employment.

Miss Ellen Johnston has been seriously ill with a threatened attack of appendicitis, but is convalescing at present.

Guy Brothers Minstrels.

Guy Brothers Minstrels, one of the oldest minstrel organizations before the public today, will appear at the Garman Opera House on Monday evening, January 17, and one of the very best attractions of the season is promised. George R. Guy, the proprietor and manager, was blacking his face as a minstrel years before any of the other managers of the present day thought of it. He is a comedian and dancer of the highest rank and draws big houses, representing the best element, whereever his company appears. The orchestra is especially fine. Lovers of fine music should not fail to attend the Garman Opera House on Monday evening.

"Hard Times Soshul."

The young folks of the Methodist Episcopal church, of Milesburg, will hold a "Hard Times Soshul" at Crider's Hall, Milesburg, Saturday evening, January 22. If all the rules prescribed are lived up to the "Soshul" gives promise of being one of continuous laughter. The admission will be five and ten cents.

Hospital Notes.

Clara Reed, admitted with fracture of right leg; result of accident while coasting on Saturday night.

Antonio Grucar (Italy), from Armour's Gap; admitted for pneumonia.

There are twenty-one patients at the hospital.

HER HOBBY.

It Led Her to Make Trouble, but She Rectified It.

By FRANK H. SWEET.

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Is there any one who has no hobby? Well, if there is it is questionable if such person is happy. We live lives—at least most of us do—that lie in beaten tracks.

The merchant that has built up a large business goes to his store every day to do pretty much the same thing. His wife stays at home, looks after the servants and makes calls. The doctor visits the sick and listens to an eternal round of aches and pains.

The clergyman preaches every Sunday and makes parochial visits. With all of us our occupation sooner or later becomes humdrum.

What, then, is our relief, our safety valve?

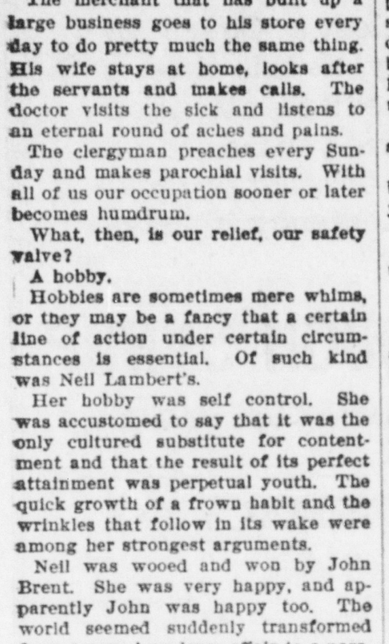
A hobby.

Hobbies are sometimes mere whims, or they may be a fancy that a certain line of action under certain circumstances is essential. Of such kind was Neil Lambert's.

Her hobby was self control. She was accustomed to say that it was the only cultured substitute for contentment and that the result of its perfect attainment was perpetual youth. The quick growth of a frown habit and the wrinkles that follow in its wake were among her strongest arguments.

Neil was wooed and won by John Brent. She was very happy, and apparently John was happy too. The world seemed suddenly transformed from a very humdrum affair to a paradise. She managed to retain her self control, so far as telling any of her friends of her engagement was concerned. Then there was a lapse. Her friend Pattie Roane called, and Neil let out the secret.

Not long after Miss Roane's departure Pattie was standing at the parlor window which overlooked the street admiring some flowers that were kept in the window. She was thinking of



"WE MEANT ONLY TO TEASE YOU A LITTLE."

her lover, and it seemed that the flowers looked up at her with a happy smile. Happening to glance up, her heart seemed to cease to beat.

There, driving down the street on his dogcart, with Miss Roane beside him, was John Brent. Nevertheless her habit of self control was strong enough to enable her to give the couple a gracious nod and a smile.

What did it mean? Had she not been in that tremulous condition, love, when every shadow is a demon? She would probably have thought that there was no meaning to it whatever. As it was, she considered it in the light of an insult from both John and Pattie.

That evening John called. She received him graciously and chatted with him as if nothing had happened, but before he left told him that their engagement was a thing of the past. All this required great self control, but that self control she possessed.

The three weeks that followed found her still living up to the hobby. If she was a bit whiter and thinner the spirituelle effect was becoming, therefore welcome. There could be a tonic and a change of air should the scrawny stage threaten. Pending that time her maid one morning announced, "Miss Roane."

"Lower the shades a trifle, Lisette," said Neil and glanced into her mirror. "Draw that stand of lilacs nearer, so. Miss Roane may come up."

"How sensible you always are!" said Pattie, making at once for an easy chair. "Here have I for three weeks been afflicted with a conscience, and you—you look as if you never had one."

"Three weeks?" smiling. "It is a long time to carry anything heavy."

"Well," with a look half meek, half mischievous, "I have brought the burden to you."

"To me? I thought a conscience was like a railroad pass—always labeled 'not transferable.'"

"I only want it doctored."

"But that is a very trite idea, is it not?"

"What I mean is not trite," said Pattie. She took a cluster of white lilacs from the stand and gently brushed her face with them. Keen eye shots could piece such a hedge undetected. "Trite exploits are either easy or necessary."

"If you mean it is hard to do anything original"—

"But I do not. I mean this is original because too hard to be often undertaken."

"Yet it is only a little conscience to be doctored."

"There are things to tell you," gravely, "because we are friends."

"Present tense?"

"Yes," lowering the hedge to give a steady look.

"Very well," with a smile that held some sarcasm lurking beneath it; "tell on."

"That day after you told me of your engagement to John Brent I saw his dogcart before Ransom's, and I happened in, don't you know, and said something about such a royal day for driving and smiled up at him my very best smile. It was a bit of mischief. I knew you would be cool over the matter and wake his resentment."

"'Behold how great a fire a little spark kindleth,'" said unruffled Neil.

"I asked him to drive this way, and he laughed. We meant only to tease you a little—nothing serious."

"No?"

"Not then," bending her face into the lilacs.

"Well," coldly, "he is now free."

An eye shot passed over the hedge.

"Knowing how that drive came about, you are still too proud to recall him?"

Neil settled herself more cozily among the cushions of her divan and gave her prettiest low laugh. "'Is thy servant a dog?'" she said.

"But he would come," said Pattie gently.

"There is a better way to come."

"And if he does not choose it?"

"I am content," sang Neil sweetly.

"Then if he's free," said Pattie, well behind the flower hedge, "I ought to let you understand," hesitatingly, "that—that"—

"Oh, certainly," said Neil mockingly, "each one for herself."

"I should not have put it in just that way," Pattie went on, with a half nervous little laugh, "but I shall not avoid him or be at my worst with him."

"It is a woman's business," dryly, "to charm, especially to charm one man."

"If he is the right one," faltered Pattie Roane.

"True. Yet the wrong one is often entertaining and easier."

"And you do not care?" asked Pattie as she took up and put the flowers back in the vase. "But you'll believe, won't you, that I meant no wrong, that I did not know what would come?"

"You have not finished your story," said Neil, with sudden sharpness. "What has come to him—what has come?"

"If you would be sorry, I think," very low, "that he would be happy."

"Otherwise—in time?" breathlessly.

"Perhaps he may think of me," said Pattie and turned away her face.

She was going silently to the door when Neil, white as her lilacs, came to the lintel.

"You have been honest," she said chokingly, "so I will tell you. I cannot bear it," with a sob, "I cannot!"

Pattie flushed. "Do you want me to go away out of his reach?" she asked with voice that trembled and with lowered eyes.

"No, but I will write and ask him"—alas for the hobby, tears came—"ask him to forgive me."

"I will wait and post the letter," Pattie slowly and went back to her chair.

"He may be angry still, you know," Neil said wistfully when the note was written and her guest on the stair, but there was no answer.

Pattie hurried out to the corner mail box and, having dropped the note inside, came around the turn of the street face to face with John Brent.

"I have been attending to some of your business," she said, with a happy laugh.

"Thank you. It could not be in better hands, I am sure," said John.

"I think so myself," radiantly. "Could you pick a lock or a corner post box?"

"Well, not without some training, I think."

"Then the best thing for you to do is to go on to Neil's. Say the proper thing, you know," rapidly. "Say that you are a wreck from misery and cannot bear it any longer."

"But"—

"That handsome Englishman has been sending more flowers, exquisite white lilacs. If I were you they should go out of a back window."

"But"—

"She will be delighted that you came before the note reached you, but do not hint that you know about it."

"About what?"

"The note, the note, the note!"

"Pick a corner post box," said John dazedly, but with a slight dawning in his eye. "Neil has written me a note?"

"Oh, the slowness of a man's mind!" cried Pattie. "Are you going to stand here after all my brilliant plot while that girl sobs herself ill—ill waiting to know if you forgive her?"

John's answer was in the rapidity of his stride around the corner, and Pattie, the plotter, her face dimpling with smiles and ease of conscience, went far enough to peep and see him run up Neil's steps three at a time.

"Good!" she murmured, with a little chuckle. But it must be admitted that she deserved one.

That was Neil's last effort at controlling her feelings when she felt aggrieved. She had learned that standing out as if the right was all hers without giving the other side a hearing was not self control, but injustice. And Pattie Roane, whose mischievous disposition was always getting her into scrapes which her genial disposition usually got her out of, learned that her propensity for such larks should be curbed by a proper self control.

UNIQUE PENSION ROLL

Many Railroad Employes Are Over Eighty Years of Age.

Probably unique among the pension rolls of the country is that of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, which, according to a compilation just completed, is shown to have 226 employes who are over eighty years of age, and who were retired when they were seventy years, or younger, and have received annual pension ever since.

A similar compilation made recently shows that the Pennsylvania Railroad has 1,350 active employes who have been with the road forty years or more, and 1,013 additional men who, before they were retired on pension, had served the road more than forty years.

In addition to these employes there are three who are ninety years or more: Andrew Abels, of Philadelphia, who was born May 23, 1817; was retired January 1st, 1900; David B. Price, of the Sunbury Division, was born Nov. 3, 1818 and was retired January 1st, 1900; he had been with the Company as an active employe since 1854; Andrew Nebinger of the Philadelphia Division, was born March 17th, 1819, and retired on a pension Jany. 1st, 1900, after 40 years of continuous service with the road. These three men were retired when the Pennsylvania Railroad in 1900 established America's first railroad pension system.

These unusual statistics are not brought out in the reports of the Railroad's Pension Fund of the Pennsylvania, which in the first nine years of its existence has paid to retired employes of the railroad a total of $3,445,793,77.

Clerk-Carrier Examination.

A civil service examination for the position of clerk and carrier at the Bellefonte post office will be held at Bellefonte on January 22, next. Applicants must be between the ages of 18 and 45 years, with the exception of persons honorably discharged from the military or naval service by reason of disability resulting from wounds or sickness incurred while on duty. Male applicants must be at least five feet, four inches in height. Female applicants are not required to be of any specific height or weight. Male applicants, however, must weigh at least 125 pounds. Married women will not be admitted to the examination. This prohibition does not apply to divorced women, separated from their husbands and supporting themselves. From the elegibles resulting from the proposed examination certification will be made to existing and future vacancies in the post office service. The examination will embrace spelling, arithmetic, letter-writing, penmanship, copying from plain copy, United States geography and reading addresses. For application blanks, instructions to applicants and further information, application should be made to the local secretary at the Bellefonte post office or to J. J. Vogel, Secretary Third Civil Service District, Post Office Building, Philadelphia.

Strength at Different Ages.

According to excellent authority, says the "London Globe," the muscles, in common with all organs of the human body, have their periods of development and decline, our physical strength increases up to a certain age and then decreases. Tests of the strength of several thousand individuals have been made and the following figures are given as the averages derived from such tests.

The lifting power of a youth of 17 is 280 pounds; in his 20th year this increases to 320 pounds and in the 30th and 31st years its reaches it height, 365 pounds. At the expiration of the 31st year the strength begins to decline, very gradually at first. By the 40th year it has decreased eight pounds and diminution continues at a slightly increasing rate until the 50th year is reached, when the figure is 330 pounds.

Subsequent to this period strength fails more and more rapidly until the weakness of old age is reached. It is found impossible to obtain trustworthy statistics of the decline of strength after the 50th year, as the rate varies greatly in different individuals.

Take Notice.

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Of Interest to Farmers and Wood Shippers.

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In Deer Fork Canyon

How a Man Helped to Save His Enemy's Life.

By ADDISON HOWARD GIBSON.

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In the maroon haze which always in the late summer enwraps the rugged slopes of Deer Fork canyon Faith Austin was gathering wild red raspberries.

A young man in miner's garb who was prospecting behind the bowlders on the opposite slope saw her and had just made up his mind to cross the stream that zigzagged down the canyon and join her when he saw a man swinging along up the trail toward her.

"It's Nick," he said to himself. "I had forgotten for the moment what he told me last night. I meant then to leave the canyon at once, and I must, for I can't bear to stay and see her throw herself away on such a fellow as Nick Sanders." And Howard Olney turned and walked away that he might not witness the meeting between the two.

The girl did not need to turn her head to know who was coming. There was an unmistakable individuality in the shuffling steps, and recognition brought a look of annoyance to her face as she continued her work.

"Pickin' berries, be you, Faith? You're lookin' sweet as a Injun pink. What's the use of your workin' so hard for them boarders when you know I'm ready for you?" he asked.

"But you ought to know by this time that I'm not ready for you," she flashed back.

The man reddened to the roots of his sandy hair, but, controlling his anger, replied:

"I've got enough to keep you from slavin' here, boardin' miners, as you're doin'. There's no use in your stayin' single for Howard Olney. He left for good this mornin'. He's goin' to keep books for Mr. Owen, the superintendent of the High Tone mine."

The telltale color mounted to Faith's cheeks, but she bent forward to capture a refractory vine, thus hiding her face from her companion.

"You think I'm not good enough for you," he went on, as she took no notice of his insinuation. "You think Olney's better'n me 'cause he's been a schoolmaster back east and can use lots of grammar. But if you'd lived in the same shack with him, as I've done, you'd know he's not such a saintly galoot as you think he is. It's no man that'll turn his back on the girl as loves him and go off courtin' Superintendent Owen's daughter," he finished contemptuously.

Faith faced him with flashing eyes. "Nick Sanders, you're worse than I thought you were! Howard Olney took you into his cabin and nursed you through a spell of fever when nobody else would, and now you try to injure him behind his back. That's your gratitude!"

His eyes fell beneath the withering scorn of hers. Of the allusion to herself she took no notice, but she could not help resenting the slur put upon the man she loved.

"You've no call to fire up for Olney," he said maliciously. "He's above courtin' a girl who makes her livin' cookin' for miners. Besides, he's in love with Daisy Owen, and she's struck on Olney's good looks. It's bound to be a match."

Faith again bent over her berry picking that her tormentor might not see the effect of his words. She had heard through her mother's boarders about Miss Owen's wealth, beauty and accomplishments and realized that she was a mere nobody compared with the superintendent's heiress. What right had she to hope that Mr. Olney would ever love her? Still, the mocking tones stung her keenly, and, her basket being filled, she said goodby and hurried away up the rocky trail that led to a dingy, weather worn cabin half hid by the bowlders and evergreens surrounding it.

Faith and her mother were alone in the world. About a year before her father had been killed by an explosion in the mines. It was Howard Olney, a young schoolmaster from New York, turned prospector, who had risked his own life to recover the body. They could never forget this nor his untiring kindness during that time of bereavement. It was he who had encouraged them to go on with the regular routine of life, and from this sad period Faith dated her love for the young man. He had a shack two miles down Deer Fork, and most of his days were spent prospecting.

Soon after Sanders suddenly returned, having been away several months. He had been "speculating," he announced, and had brought back some money. Nick had known the family in Indiana. In fact, he had accompanied Mr. Austin to Colorado. He was a crafty, shiftless fellow and did not make friends among the miners. Indeed, so unpopular was he that when stricken with fever shortly after there was no one to care for him except Mrs. Austin until Howard, to relieve the overburdened woman, took the fellow home with him and nursed him back to health and strength. Had it not been for jealousy he would have been grateful as one of his selfish nature could be.

Meanwhile Faith had wandered down the canyon, unconsciously taking the trail over which her lover had passed an hour or two before.

"I will give up thinking of him," she said, stooping to gather a spray of wild columbine. "I won't let his going away without even saying goodby worry me. Mother must not see that I care, for of course she'll hear that he's gone. I'll pick some flowers as an excuse for coming and go home and live my life without him. A woman's heart must be strong for endurance."

Suddenly a wild cry burst upon her ears.

"Help, help!"

The girl listened with bated breath. It did not come from the direction of the mining camp. Still, it might be one of the men had wandered down the gulch and met with some accident.

Again the call came, wild and agonizing, as though face to face with a terrible doom. This time she located the cry.

"Some one has fallen into the old shaft!" she cried, running swiftly in that direction. This "old shaft" led to what had once been a promising mine, but a subterranean stream that rose mysteriously and at no regular period rendered it so unsafe that it had been abandoned, and no one who knew of its treachery dared venture into the shaft.

Almost breathless, Faith gained the mouth of the mine and, dropping on her knees, peered down into the dark depths below. The black sullen waters of the rising stream boiled and hissed among the jagged rocks and crevices, lashing madly the legs of a man who stood insecurely on a narrow ledge fully halfway down. He was clinging in terror to a jutting rock above him, which threatened every moment to give way. It was a perilous, an awful situation, and the girl shuddered as she gazed, while in the white horror drawn face upturned to hers she recognized Nick Sanders.

"For God's sake, Faith, try to help me out of this!" he screamed.

"I'll try, Nick!" she called back.

But how was she to do it? She looked about hopelessly; then her eyes fell upon a large coil of castoff rope near the broken windlass. She caught it up eagerly, and, lowering one end to Nick, she said:

"Tie this around you under the arms."

He did so and felt himself being slowly drawn upward. Such was his peril that he could not realize that the girl's hands alone were not strong enough to pull him to the top. He did not know that another had also heard his calls for help and had arrived just in time to aid in the rescue. When almost up a blow on the head from a shelving ledge rendered him unconscious for several minutes.

When he came to himself he was lying on the bank of Deer Fork, and Faith was bathing his face. Hearing Howard Olney's voice, he kept his eyes closed and listened.

"I'm glad I was in time to help you save him," the young man was saying. "I was on my way to see you, Faith, to say goodby before leaving the canyon. At first I thought I would go away without, but I couldn't. I felt that I must look upon your face once more before I gave you up to him."

Nick heard the tremor in Olney's voice that told of the emotion he was endeavoring to control.

"Just once more, Faith," he went on. "I should not go if you could love me, but I know how it is. You have known Nick all your life. In the delirium of his fever I learned how much he loved you, and afterward he told me that you loved him in return. I will not come between you. Goodby, dear one. Remember I helped save him for your sake."

There was intense pain in the tones, and as he turned away Faith gave a quick sob, and Nick felt a hot tear fall on his face. But the girl made no effort to detain the man she loved. One word would have called him back to her side, yet her lips seemed paralyzed. She knew that he loved her and was going because he believed she loved another; that she would never see him again and her old lonely life would go on unbroken, unbrightened by him. He was slipping away from her forever, still she could not utter a word.

And Nick knew, too, that if Olney went now his own chances of some time winning Faith were better than ever.

"Hold on a minute, Howard!" called the rescued man, sitting up.

"What is it, Nick?" asked Olney, turning back, though he did not trust himself to look toward Faith.

"Come up nearer. I've got somethin' to tell you both, and you don't know how hard it is for a man to call himself out loud and right before two good folks he's been a-wrongin', a onery big liar," said Nick. "But that's just what I am—a onery big liar. I lied to you about Faith's lovin' me, and then I lied to her about your leavin' Deer Fork to keep accounts for Mr. Owen just because you were in love with his daughter. I'm a low lived devil, but when I was down in that ole shaft a-facin' death I made up my mind if I ever got the chance I'd be a better man. Now that you two have saved my worthless life and have give me the chance I asked for I'm goin' to begin with you and Faith by settin' you right. You love each other, and I want to see you happy, so my lies ain't standin' in your trail any more.

"Maybe you wonder how I happened to be down in that old mine. You remember that Swede who got a pile of gold and some nuggets stole from his cabin over on Firecheck creek? Well, I am the thief, and I hid it all down in that shaft, where I knowed nobody would dare go pokin' round. I went down, aimin' to git part of it to swap off, and that water riz right up like a avengin' angel. I hain't got the makin' of half a saint in me, but I'm goin' to tote back that stuff where I got it from and strike a new trail up the canyon of life."

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Central R. R. of Penna. Train Schedule.

Leave,

Bellefonte for Mill Hall, 7:05 A. M., 2:20 and 6:55 P. M.

Leave,

Mill Hall for Bellefonte, 8:33 A. M., 3:56 and 8:35 P M.

BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD.—On and after Monday, Jan 25th, 1909 trains will run as follows from P. R. R. station.

TRAINS TO STATE COLLEGE.

WESTWARD.	1 A M	3 A M	5 P M
Lv. Bellefonte	† 6.30	† 10.15	† 2.00
Coleville	6.35	10.20	2.07
Morris	† 6.38	.....	† 2.12
Stevens	† 6.43	.....	† 2.17
Hunters Park	† 6.46	.....	† 2.21
Fillmore	† 6.50	†10.34	† 2.26
Briarly	† 6.55	.....	† 2.32
Waddles	7.00	10.45	2.35
Krumrine	† 7.12	.....	† 2.50
State College	7.25	11.10	3.20
Strubles	† 7.27	.....	.....
Bloomsdorf	† 7.31	.....	.....
Pine Grove Mills	7.35	.....	3.40

* Daily. † Daily except Sunday. 'f" Stop flag.

TRAINS FROM STATE COLLEGE.

EASTWARD.	2 A M	4 A M	6 P M
Lv Pine Grove Mills	7.35	.....	8.2
Bloomsdorf	†7.40	.....	.....
Strubles	† 7.45	.....	†8.30
State College	8.00	11.50	5.00
Krumrine	† 8.07	.....	† 5.07
Waddle	8.20	12.10	† 5.25
Briarly	† 8.24	.....	† 5.30
Fillmore	† 8.28	12.18	† 5.35
Hunters Park	† 8.31	.....	† 5.40
Stevens	† 8.35	.....	† 5.43
Morris	† 8.37	.....	† 5.47
Coleville	8.40	12.30	5.50
Ar Bellefonte	8.50	12.50	6.00

Morning trains from Montandon, Lewisburg Williamsport, Lock Haven and Tyrone connect with train No. 3 and 5 for State College. Afternoon trains from Montandon, Lewisburg, Williamsport, Lock Haven and Tyrone connect with train No 5 for State College. Trains from State College connect with Penna. R R, trains at Bellefonte to points east and west.

f Stops on flag.

† Daily except Sunday.

F. H. THOMAS, Supt.

Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a vote of the Board of Directors of the School District of Bellefonte, there will be submitted to the electors of the borough at the municipal election to be held in and for said borough on Tuesday the 15th day of February 1910, for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors of the said district in making valid and giving binding effect to the first increase of the debt to wit: $32,000.00 for the erection and construction of the new High School building. Notice is also hereby given that the amount of the last assessed valuation of taxable property in the said borough of Bellefonte, as adjusted for 1909, is $1,653,804.00.

Old debt contracted before 1873,	$25,000.00
Less Sinking fund,	5,000.00
Balance of old debt,	$20,000.00
Debt contracted by assent of the voters at an election held August 17th, 1909.	$33,000.00
Amount of the debt proposed to be made valid	$32,000.00

Which said sum is less than two percent of the assessed valuation of one and thirteen-fourteenths per cent on the assessed valuation of $1,653,804.00.

The purpose for which the indebtedness was created and the money obtained was used is the erection and construction of the new High School building.

By order of the Board.

HENRY C. QUIGLEY, President.

JAMES K. BARNHART, Secretary.

1-13-5t

Auditor's Notice.

In the Orphans Court of Centre County.

In the matter of the estate of Ann Biddle, late of the township of Patton, deceased.

The undersigned an Auditor appointed by the above Court to make distribution of the funds in the hands of the accountant, the Administrator D. B. N. of said estate, as shown by his first and final account, to and among those legally entitled to receive the same, will meet the parties in interest or as many as choose to appear, at the office of Fortney & Fortney, East High St., Bellefonte, Pa., on Thursday the 27th day of January 1910, at ten o'clock A. M. when and where all persons having any claim to any portion of the said estate may appear or be for ever barred from coming in on said fund.

D. PAUL FORTNEY, Auditor.

1-6-3t

Notice of Divorce.

Ida Long, vs. A. J. Long. { In the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County. No. 8 December Term, 1908. In Divorce, A. V. M.

To A. J. Long: Whereas your wife, Ida Long, has filed a libel in the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, No. 8 December Term, 1908, praying for a divorce against you. Now, you are hereby notified and required to appear in said Court, on or before Monday, February 28th., 1910, to answer the complaint of your said wife, Ida Long, and show cause, if any you have, why the said Ida Long should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you, and in default of such appearance, you will be liable to have a divorce granted in your absence.

Bellefonte, Pa. W. E. HURLEY, Sheriff.

Dec. 14th., 1909. 12-16-4t

AGRICULTURAL INFORMATION

Pennsylvania Railroad to Distribute Booklets to Farmers.

Following up its campaign in the interest of scientific farming in the territory through which its lines run, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has undertaken, through its Division Freight Agents, the dissemination of agricultural information. Co-operating with the State College of Agriculture of Pennsylvania, the Railroad has prepared booklets which are to be sent to the farmers throughout the State.

On the farmers' special instruction trains and steamboats which the Pennsylvania Railroad has been operating in the past two years, special stress has been laid on the introduction of alfalfa into this section of the country, and the first booklet which the Company is to distribute deals with methods for the cultivation of that product. One booklet is entitled "Use of Lime on Land—A few facts on line fertilization". The other one has for its subject "Alfalfa". These two subjects go hand in hand in view of the fact that the use of lime is essential to the cultivation of alfalfa.

In addition to the instructions for the application of lime and the growing of alfalfa, the Pennsylvania's booklets contain lists of shippers of agricultural lime, lime stone, fertilizers, etc., for the use of the agriculturalists.

In its educational campaign for good farming, the Pennsylvana Railroad is encouraging every movement which can in any way affect the prosperity of the rural districts. Special agricultural trains represent the first effort of the Company in this direction; special steamboats are being operated from time to time, and the undertaking is being made to educate the station agents along the lines that they may become agricultural missionaries. In addition, the Company has become identified with the good roads movement in the State of Pennsylvania. The issuance of booklets containing information for farmers is the latest step which the Pennsylvania Railroad has taken to increase the traffic in agricultural products originating on its lines.

The Civilizing Ocean Greyhound.

Imagine jumping from New York to London in a little over three days! This is not only a possibility, but a probability. What a step from Fulton's laborious first journey up the Hudson to this new record just in our grasp! Thus do things transpire in one generation which were entirely beyond the imagination of former generations. Our forefathers who boarded the old sailing vessels, trusting to the wind and to a kind Providence for swift and safe journey, would especially appreciate this wonderful new mode of travel. There are thousands of men and women in the United States today who arrived in America originally after a month's voyage on a sailing vessel. Miles no longer measure distance. Modern modes of travel have deserted the measuring tape for the clock. Instead of thinking of Europe as almost countless miles across the deep, the modern schoolboy links it with a half week's splendid travel in luxurious floating hotels. This point cannot be too prominently emphasized. As the great continent-crossing railroads have made Pacific coast and Atlantic coast citizens next-door neighbors in America, so have our fast modern Atlantic fiyers made Europe and America across-the-street acquaintances. Future historians, when they write the chronicles of the twentieth century, will be compelled to devote many chapters to the influence which the fast ocean greyhounds have exerted in modern civilization.—*Leslie's Weekly.*

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LaGrippe coughs are dangerous, as they frequently develop into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough, but heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Sold by C. M. Parrish.

Rev. I. W. Williams Testifies.

Rev. I. W. Williams, Huntingdon, W. Va., writes us as follows: "This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble and am free to say that Foley's Kidney Remedy will do all that you claim for it." Sold by C. M. Parrish.

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Just Like a Woman.

A Boston physician was describing a week's drive that he took last fall through some of the most picturesque districts of New England.

"I saw much that was memorable and heard much that was worth remembering on this quiet, bucolic excursion.

"I remember an elderly justice of the peace in a beautiful New Hampshire village near Lake Sunapee. I stayed there all night with this fine, keen old man. He amused me and impressed me with his mordant humor.

"During the evening the question of the unreasonableness of womankind came up for discussion. 'Ah,' said the old justice, 'woman is unreasonable, very unreasonable indeed. In fact, there is no living creature so unreasonable as woman. I remember that my wife and I were talking over our affairs one day, and we agreed that it had come to the point where we must both economize.

"'Yes, my dear,' I said to my wife, 'we must both economize—both!'

"'Very well, Henry,' she said with a tired air of submission to an unpleasant condition, 'you shave yourself, and I'll cut your hair.'"—Boston Post.

Hymnological Ineptitude.

The story of a minister who held a religious meeting in a penitentiary and aroused the ire of the inmates by announcing as a hymn that one beginning "The dying thief rejoiced to see" is equaled by the tale of a local preacher whose church got in debt not long ago. A congregational meeting was held for the purpose of extricating it, and the chairman of the board of deacons, or whatever the financial body was, got up and stated the situation and ended by calling for a special collection to make up the deficit.

"I suggest that we sing a hymn," one of the members of the church suggested.

This idea was carried out, and the number of the song was announced. A smile overspread many faces, however, when they reached the line, "When we asunder part it gives us inward pain."

Nevertheless the "sundering" process was most successful and wasn't particularly painful either.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Tailed Englishmen.

Natives of southern Arabia believe that Christians wear hats only to hide their horns. Formerly the continent of Europe clung to the conviction that the Englishman's nether garments concealed a tail. So late as the reign of Edward VI., according to Bale, "an Englyshman cannot travayle in another land by way of marchandyse or any other honest occupyinge, but it is most contumeliously thrown into his tethe that all Englyshmen have tayls." The belief probably arose from the legend of the "Kentish Longtails." The people of either Canterbury or Strood (for the legend varies) mocked at Becket as he rode by on an ass and cut off the ass' tail. Wherefore they and their descendants were cursed with tails thenceforth. At least so said jesters of other countries, and the slander eventually reacted upon England in general. Another version substitutes St. Augustine and Dorsetshire.

Cold as a Cure.

Cold of a certain intensity produces not only hunger, but, as it has been proved, health as well. Raoul Pictet, the famous Swiss chemist, was making experiments on a degree of cold considerably lower than any which occurs naturally, and he found that at temperatures between 110 and 150 below zero no covering of any kind would keep cold out, or, more exactly, would keep warmth in. There is nothing surprising about that. The surprise is in the result. M. Pictet is a gentleman who has suffered greatly from indigestion. After an exposure of several minutes to the cold which he had produced he experienced a sensation of hunger which he has described as ravenous. When he had eaten he experienced none of the tortures of his ailment, and when he had alternately frozen and eaten three or four times he found himself entirely cured.—London Telegraph.

The Gallant Cabman.

Nothing perhaps produces quite so much wit from a cabman as a sense of being underpaid, which in most cases means that he has been justly paid. A lady who had been guilty of this kind of justice experienced the usual sense of discomfort when her driver straightened the palm into which she had just dropped her shilling and looked at her speechlessly. She was weakly about to add another sixpence when the cabby's sense of humor prevailed. He transferred the shilling to his pocket and smiled sweetly down at his embarrassed fare. "Course, missy," he remarked, "there was the pleasure o' drivin' you!"—London Chronicle.

Arundel Castle.

The most singular circumstance about Arundel castle is that its owner, by mere right of ownership, is Earl of Arundel in the peerage of England. It is believed that there is no similar example of a peerage held on such conditions. Apparently there would be no legal obstacle, were the house of Howard to fall upon evil days and the castle be sold to some millionaire, to prevent the millionaire taking his seat in the house of lords as Earl of Arundel. —London Standard.

A Reflection on Him.

"Quarreled on their wedding day? Dreadful! And what about?"

"The bride's girl friends cried too vociferously to suit the bridegroom."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

To be vain of one's rank or place is to show that one is below it.—Stanislaus.

HIS MONEY TROUBLE.

He Gained a Dime and Then He Figured Up the Loss.

The next time Lionel, whose other name doesn't matter, gets his optics on an unattached dime he'll look the other way. For Lionel is all peeved up over an adventure he had the other night—an adventure that had a dime for its foundation and for which he can blame no one but Lionel. He rehearsed his money trouble thuswise:

"In a Broadway car I saw it—the dime that was hoodooed. It lay upon the floor of the car unclaimed and lonesome. No one else seemed to care to take it in and give it a welcome, so I did. But even as I reached for the bit of silver the trouble drama opened. My suspenders snapped with the strain—for, as you can see, I'm not built on the sunken garden plan as regards avoirdupois. Thereupon I reached back to gather the frayed ends of the busted surcingle, still feeling for the chunk of white metal with the other hand. My watch, not to be shoved out of the drama without a chance to do its little part, dropped out of my pocket, making a decided hit. The crystal broke into 7,869 pieces, not counting the one that I got in my finger later. The works mingled with the dirt and shattered glass, and the case tripped gayly into a corner. Just to show it was also interested, a perfectly good silver dollar bounced out of my waistcoat pocket and did the vanishing act—where, I know not. A fountain pen, all framed up with gold bands, followed suit. By this time I was giving the rest of the passengers the show of their lives—and nobody coming across with anything but the giggle gag. And I couldn't vocalize my feelings because there were ladies present. Holding on to my wrecked raiment and carrying my assorted ruins as well as I might, I hurled myself off that car at the next corner. Then I beat it for a friendly retreat and totaled up the event. The wreck had set me back $41, but I had the dime!"—Cincinnati Times-Star.

Names In Politics.

"I want to make a name for myself in politics," said the ambitious youth.

"Well," answered Senator Sorghum, "it's liable to be a long and difficult enterprise. You'll probably have to put in a considerable share of your time allowing your enemies to call you any names they happen to think of."—Washington Star.

His Claim to Fame.

"Who was this fellow Pepys, and what is his claim to fame?"

"His claim to fame is well founded, my friend. He's the man who kept a diary for more than a year."—Kansas City Journal.

Cause For Surprise.

Belle—Mr. Higgins started to kiss me, last night.

Beulah—And weren't you surprised?

"I should say I was. He didn't do it."—Yonkers Statesman.

His Preparation.

"Listen to this charming bit of obituary sentiment," said a cynical bachelor: "He had been married forty years and was prepared to die."—Ladies' Home Journal.

Domestic Bliss.

Madame—I don't know where our son gets all his faults from. I'm sure he doesn't get them from me. Monsieur—No, you're right there; you haven't lost any of yours.

Trust men and they will be true to you. Treat them greatly and they will show themselves great.—Emerson.

FROM THE TROPICS TO HEAL US.

Cedron Seed Plant.

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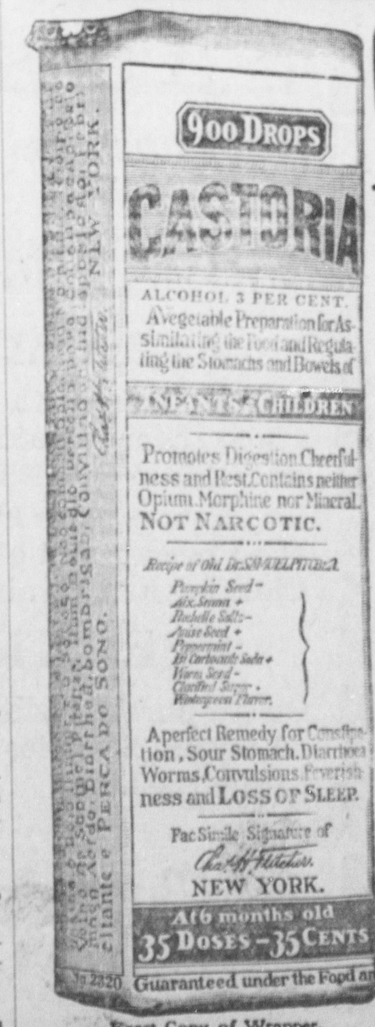
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Here and There.

Read "The Republican"--$1 a year in advance.

Mrs. Edward Kane is visiting friends at Beaver Falls.

F. W. Crider is able to be out after being housed up for several weeks with the grip.

Efforts are being made by a number of Philipsburg residents to establish a Y. M. C. A. at that place.

Mrs. E. S. Dorworth attended the funeral of A. Jackson Gardner, at Howard, on Saturday.

Emanuel Jceph returned home last Friday after a three weeks' visit with relatives in New York.

The stockholders of the First National bank, of Bellefonte, will hold their annual meeting at 11 o'clock tomorrow.

Miss Eva Crissman gave a dance in the Bush Arcade on Monday evening. About thirty-five couples were in attendance.

The Central Railroad Co. of Penna. is shipping ten and one-half inch ice from Hecla Park. The ice is of an especially fine quality.

Mrs. W. I. Fleming is in Harrisburg this week, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ward Fleming, who were Bellefontes visitors over Christmas.

Mrs. N. B. Spangler this week entertained Mrs. D. T. Fisher, and son Harold of Unionville, and Miss Martha Zahniser, of Port Allegheny.

Philip D. Foster, of State College, was in town on Monday, wearing a big, broad smile over the announcement of his selection as postmaster.

County auditors Musser, Pontius and Hoffer are busily engaged in auditing the accounts of Commissioners Woodring, Zimmerman and Dunlas.

J. M. Bunnel, at one time engaged in business in Bellefonte, has moved his music store at Philipsburg to Front Street occupying a room in the Rothrock block.

James Kerstetter, the dairyman, has purchased the property of Mrs. Andrew Swartz, on East Bishop Street, occupied for some time past by Benjamin Gentzel.

About every other person you meet these days has a cold. At the home of Harry Lyon, at Lyontown, three children are suffering with severe coughs and colds.

Ernest Tate, a son of Clarence Tate, was injured internally while coasting at Coleville last week. The sled on which he was riding collided with the iron bridge.

Professor Isaac A. Harvey, of Lock Haven, has announced himself a candidate for the Republican nomination for Congress in the Clinton-Lycoming-Tioga district.

Charlie Taylor, who has been employed at Green's pharmacy for some time past, moved to Pittsburg on Monday. He has two positions in view in the Smoky City, one being in a drug store.

While at work in Rich Bros. woolen mill, at Woolrich, last Friday Miss Clara Shaw ran a needle through a finger. She had considerable difficulty in releasing her hand from the machine.

A jolly party of young folks enjoyed a sled ride to the Old Fort hotel on Tuesday evening, and what they did to a chicken supper prepared by Landlord Royer was a caution. Liveryman Christ Beezer held the reins.

It is many, many years since there has been such fine sleighing, while for coasting the young folks have been in their element. Considering the amount of ice on the hills there have been comparatively few accidents.

The shrill fire alarm whistle at 6 o'clock on Tuesday evening gave the people of Bellefonte a bad scare. The fire proved to be in a chimney at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Grimm, on Thomas Street. No damage was done.

Republican County Chairman Harry Keller has issued a notice calling attention of Republicans to the party caucuses to be held on Saturday, January 22. Let every Republican participate in the party caucus and then make it a point to go to the polls on February 15 and vote his party ticket.

Professor Sherwood E. Hall, an instructor at the Bellefonte Academy, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Bellefonte Hospital on Monday. The operation was pronounced a complete success. Professor Hall's mother and brother, Charles, were at the hospital at the time of the operation.

Telford Fink, of Martha, a son of County Treasurer George G. Fink, has become identified with the business of the Potter-Hoy Hardware company. He is a young man of many splendid qualities and we have every confidence will develop into one of the most valuable men connected with that well-known and rapidly growing firm.

If you want an evening of rare enjoyment go to State College on Saturday evening, next, for Colonel George Nox McCain's illustrated lecture on foreign travels. A number of Bellefonte business men are contributors to the lecture fund and are therefore entitled to attend Colonel McCain's lectures, to which no admission is charged. Colonel J. L. Spangler heard Colonel McCain lecture in the Academy of Music, at Philadelphia, and pronounces him one of the very finest before the public today.

If you want all the news read "The Republican," $1 a year in advance.

Mrs. Julius Fobel of Tyrone, visited her parents at this place this week.

Miss Grace Bingham, of Harrisburg, is visiting Miss Barbara Levi.

The boys and girls are enjoying the fine coasting on Willowbank Street.

Mrs. Hugh S. Taylor and two children spent Sunday at her old home in Philipsburg.

Miss Hazel Thompson has returned home after a delightful visit with friends at Williamsport.

Colonel W. Fred Reynolds, Thomas A. Beaver and several others made up a party to visit Tyrone last Sunday.

Mr. Harris, of the firm of Newman & Harris, architects, is in town supervising the work at the Court House.

William Pealer, of Spring Mills, took advantage of the fine sleighing and made a business trip to Bellefonte during the week.

Mrs. J. Fall Stover, daughter Nora and Miss Pearl Royer, all of this place, visited friends at Unionville over Sunday.

Miss Catharine Willard is teaching school for Miss Carrie Weaver until the latter, who is ill, is able to resume her duties.

S. E. Twigg, assessor of Rush township, finished his work and made his report to the County Commissioners on Monday.

Miss Anna Nolan, the very competent assistant to Register Earle C. Tuten, was an over-Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Nolan, at Tyrone.

L. C. Bullock, overseer of the poor of Huston township, was in town on Monday looking after some business matters pertaining to the township.

The "Democratic Watchman" blossomed forth last week in a complete new dress of type. If it was proud of its appearance it had good cause to be.

Philip E. Womelsdorf and J. N. Schoonover, of Philipsburg, transacted business in Bellefonte this week and found time to greet their friends.

Mr. McKee, of Williamsport, assistant organizer of the Loyal Order of Moose, was in town this week in the interest of the order which is being organized in Bellefonte.

Prosessor B. F. Bottenhorn, principal of the State College public schools, was in town several days ago and secured a fine dog from William Irvin, of Willowbank Street.

Don't overlook the advertisement of the Douglas Shoes in "The Republican." As the advertisement explains, these shoes may be purchased at A. C. Mingle's well-known store.

Ferdinand Schneider and Charles Thumm, two additional representatives of the Chapman Decorative Company, of Philadelphia, are in town helping to get the court room in shape for the February term of court.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Holt, of Pittsburg, were guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. J. Kennedy Johnson. As might have been expected they found the most interesting thing in Bellefonte to be that new baby at the Johnson home.

W. H. Van Harlingen, representing William G. Johnson & Co., of Pittsburg, made a business trip to Bellefonte this week. Edward A. Ciple covers this territory for the firm, but he is at the Markleton sanitorium undergoing treatment and Mr. Van Harlingen made the trip here to keep in touch with the former's patrons.

Joseph Bros. sale of everything in waite is proving to be a great success, just as we were sure it would be when that progressive firm placed its advertisement in "The Republican." The sale is attracting the women of Bellefonte and in fact from all parts of the county, and when this class of shoppers becomes interested the success of any sale is assured.

According to announcement last Friday in Philadelphia newspapers, the Merchants and Manufacturers Association, of that city, proposes running a trades excursion through central Pennsylvania for the purpose of advertising Philadelphia made goods. About 100 business concerns are said to be represented in the movement. Bellefonte is one of the towns on the proposed route.

Claster's Underselling Store has a very interesting advertisement on the eighth page of this paper. It tells of the big sale of shoes which is to start on Friday, January 14, and continue fifteen days. These shoes were purchased from Henry Kline at greatly reduced prices and will be sold on the same basis. It is a rare opportunity for the man who wants to save his dollars and cents and at the same time get a first-class article in the shoe line.

Colonel George Nox McCain, the well-known lecturer, delighted an audience at State College last Saturday night. He will give his full course of five lectures at State College, each Saturday night for the next four weeks having been selected for his appearance. Colonel McCain was for many years a political writer on the Philadelphia "Press." He has achieved considerable distinction as a lecturer in more recent years. Before going to State College last week he dropped into "The Republican" office for a little chat on old times in Philadelphia newspaperdom.

RECORD OF DEATHS

Well Known Residents of County Answer Final Summons.

A. Y. Williams.

Albert Young Williams, one of Port Matilda's most prominent citizens and business men, was found dead in bed at his home last Thursday morning. His death was discovered about 6 o'clock in the morning, but Mr. Williams, supposedly, had passed away several hours before that time. Heart failure was the cause of death. Some time ago Mr. Williams sustained a painful injury in his saw mill, having his right hand badly crushed in some machinery. Amputation of several fingers was necessary and this proved too great a shock to his system, owing to his advanced years. Deceased was born at Port Matilda, September 18, 1849, and at an early age learned the milling business. For a time he was engaged in mercantile business at Port Matilda and Olivia. Not long ago he retired from active business and just a few days prior to his death he disposed of his milling properties and water rights to A. A. Stevens, of Tyrone. He was an active member of the Methodist Episcopal church and was a director in the Farmers and Merchants National bank, of Tyrone. He is survived by the following children: Mrs. J. C. Young, of Freeland, Pa.; Mrs. A. B. Woodring, of Tyrone; John M. Williams, of Port Matilda; Florence, Mabel, Edith, Belva and Blake, at home, and Edgar, of Bald Eagle. One brother and one sister also survive, viz: Ebenezer, of Waddle, and Mrs. F. S. Morrow, of Port Matilda. Interment was made at Port Matilda on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. Merrill Ake officiating.

A. Jackson Gardner.

Shortly after 9 o'clock last Thursday morning the death messenger entered the home of Andrew Jackson Gardner, of Howard, and closed a life of usefulness and removed from that community one of its best known and most highly respected citizens. Mr. Gardner's health had been declining for years and while his death was not unexpected it caused the greatest sorrow among a host of warm friends. Mr. Gardner was born in Liberty township and was 88 years of age. Learning the trade of the carpenter when a young man he followed that vocation until advancing years caused him to relinquish active work. He removed to Howard about 1850 and made that place his home for the remainder of his life. During his entire lifetime he was an active and faithful member of the Disciple Church. He is survived by the following children: Mrs. Fannie D. Leathers, of Howard; Mitchell I. Gardner, of Bellefonte; Mrs. Jennie Shutt, of Warren; W. H. Gardner, of Pittsburg, and W. R. Gardner, of Howard. The funeral was held on Saturday afternoon, with services conducted by Rev. R. F. Delmont, of Tioga county, and Rev J. H. D. Thompson. Mr. Gardner was married to Miss Catherine Lucas, who preceded him to the grave about three years ago.

Alexander Frazer.

Alexander Frazer, for a number of years a resident of Philipsburg, died last Saturday at his late home at Clearfield, aged about 50 years. He was a well known railroad engineer. He is survived by a widow, who was Miss Alice Michaels of Karthaus, and the following children: Mrs. M. S. Adams, Chester Hill; Mrs. Duke Parks, Osceola; Jeannette, Anna and Rebecca, living at home. Interment was made at the Philipbsurg cemetery on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jacob Sceurman.

Mrs. Jacob Sceurman, at one time a well known resident of Philipsburg, died on Tuesday at her late home at Grampian. Deceased, before her marriage, was Miss Anna Rebecca Carr, of Karthaus, and was 33 years old. She is survived by a husband and one daughter, Sarah

Thomas Laurie.

Thomas Laurie, a brother of the late Dr. William Laurie and for some time a resident of Bellefonte, died last Thursday at the Old Men's Home, at Thirty-ninth and Baring Streets, Philadelphia. Mr. Laurie was 79 years of age. Interment was made in Mount Moriah cemetery, Philadelphia.

William Washington.

William Washington, the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Washington, of Altoona, died last Saturday from pneumonia. The child died in an ambulance while being conveyed to a hospital. The body was taken to Snow Shoe for burial on Tuesday afternoon.

James H. Chase.

James H. Chase, a former resident of Philipsburg, died on Monday of last week at Uniontown, Pa. He was 42 years of age and is survived by a widow and two daughters and also his parents, two brothers and one sister. Interment was made at Tyrone.

Charles W. Campbell.

Charles W. Campbell, a son of Hugh Campbell, of Philadelphia, formerly of Osceola Mills, died on Sunday at Denver, Colorado. He was a young man of strict integrity and was held in high regard by his many friends.

Mrs. Alfred Perry.

Mrs. Alfred Perry, a sister of William H. Jones, of Philipsburg, died suddenly of heart failure at her late home, at Ansonville, on Sunday morning. Deceased was 60 years of age and was well-known at Philipsburg.

Will Hold Election.

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School District."

While it is true this later opinion was given after the bonds had been delivered to Mr. Olmsted and the money received by the district it nevertheless supported the correctness of the actions and conclusions of the board.

After all this had been done Messrs Townsend, Elliott and Townsend, in making further investigation, concluded that the qualities of the old debt did not remain, but that from the manner in which it had been refunded, (this being the third time), it became a new debt, and as such it was a debt the district had incurred since the adoption of the constitution of 1874, and therefore the board could not create so large an indebtedness as was provided for in the resolution of March 29, 1909, without the consent of the electors of the district.

The loan had however been authorized and the indebtedness created for a perfectly lawful purpose, the bonds had gone out, and the district had their value, and had already expended the most of it in the erection and construction of the new school building. There is only one thing to do to save the honor and credit of the School District, and that is to submit the question to the electors of the district in such manner as the law provides,

The Act of Assembly approved June 10, 1897, in its first section provides that "Whenever any school district in any borough or township of this Commonwealth shall have heretofore created an indebtedness for a lawful purpose by an action of the legal and proper officers thereof, such indebtedness being within the constitutional limits of seven percentum, and in excess of the percentum of the last assessed valuation of such school district, and not having first obtained the assent of the electors thereof in favor of increasing such indebtedness as provided by law, it shall be lawful for the proper officers of such school district to cause to be submitted to the electors of such district the question of validating and giving bind force to such indebtedness, theretofore attempted to be created." Other provisions of the act provide how this shall be done.

The purpose for which the loan was made was entirely lawful, and the action of the board was taken under the conviction that the board had the clear legal right to create the indebtedness and to issue the bonds.

Any objection to the debt contracted can be removed and the debt made valid by the electors of the district in declaring in favor of the debt as already increased without any cost to the district except the publication of the election notice, at the election to be held on the 15th day of February, 1910.

By doing so the debt of the district will not be increased a dollar over what it now is, counting both loans with the old debt. While the building has not been completed as rapidly as was originally contemplated all can readily see that the district will not only have a beautiful, but as substantial a building as can be found within the State, and that or a sum not exceeding in amount $65,000.00.

The Board or any member of it, and especially the building committee stands ready to give any information about the loan or the building that is in their power to give.

The question of ratifying and making clearly valid the indebtedness of the district to the extent of $32,000.00 is submitted to the candid, sober, judgment of the electors of the district, with the assurance that they will not allow the fair name of the district to be stained by the repudiation of an honest debt for which they have received full consideration.

H. C. Quigley,
President.
J. K. Barnhart,
Secretary.

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